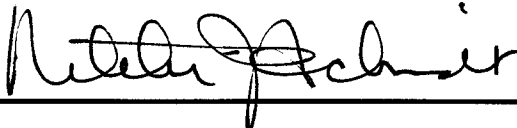


**COUNTY OF SAN LUIS OBISPO BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
AGENDA ITEM TRANSMITTAL**

(1) DEPARTMENT Public Works	(2) MEETING DATE April 25, 2006	(3) CONTACT/PHONE Frank Honeycutt, Senior Engineer (805) 781-5269	
(4) SUBJECT Hearing to Consider a Resolution Establishing Road Improvement Fees for the Eastern Portion of the Urban Reserve area in San Miguel			
(5) SUMMARY OF REQUEST As the San Miguel area develops, there will be increased impacts to the circulation system. Specifically, a short section of River Road needs to be widened and the intersection of Mission and 14 th Streets needs to be signalized. To mitigate the cumulative impact of this future development, it is proposed to establish a new road impact fee area for affected portions of San Miguel.			
(6) RECOMMENDED ACTION It is recommended that your Board: 1. Receive and adopt the attached Report titled "San Miguel Traffic Circulation Study." 2. Adopt the attached Resolution, which establishes Road Improvement Fees for development in the stipulated area of San Miguel.			
(7) FUNDING SOURCE(S) Road Fund	(8) CURRENT YEAR COST N/A	(9) ANNUAL COST -0-	(10) BUDGETED? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N/A <input type="checkbox"/> NO
(11) OTHER AGENCY/ADVISORY GROUP INVOLVEMENT (LIST): San Miguel Advisory Council			
(12) WILL REQUEST REQUIRE ADDITIONAL STAFF? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes, How Many? _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Permanent _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Limited Term _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Contract _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Temporary Help _____			
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VIA: Glen L. Priddy, Deputy Director of Public Works - Engineering Services 

DATE: April 25, 2006

SUBJECT: Hearing to Consider a Resolution Establishing Road Improvement Fees for the Eastern Portion of the Urban Reserve area in San Miguel

Recommendation

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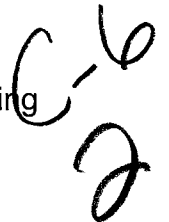
Discussion

Development within the community of San Miguel, like most areas of the County, has been increasing in the last few years. While no single project contemplated within San Miguel will cause congestion by itself, the cumulative impact from all of the development is expected to cause unacceptable congestion before build out in the community is achieved. Development in the river corridor has spurred the need to address these cumulative impacts.

The San Miguel Traffic Circulation Study (Study) identifies two improvements needed for the road system to accommodate future build out of the community:

- Widening one narrow section of River Road east of the Salinas River between Cross Canyon Road and Mission Lane
- Signalize the intersection of Mission Street and 14th Street (River Road)

Adoption of the attached resolution will establish the fee area and result in the following fees being payable prior to the issuance of building permits:



Residential	\$3,870 per peak hour trip
Retail	\$3,870 per peak hour trip
Other	\$3,870 per peak hour trip

The area identified in the Study is that portion of San Miguel that lies within the Urban Reserve Lines and is east of the railroad tracks. A map of the area is attached as Exhibit C. Potential development west of the tracks (including Mission Street) can adequately be accommodated by the existing road facilities and, therefore, are excluded from the fee improvement area.

San Miguel Ranch and other potential projects west of the Urban Reserve Line have not been clearly defined and, accordingly, are not included within the Road Improvement Area. These projects will be studied and their impacts defined through the general plan amendment process. If needed, the impacts from these projects can be addressed separately or the Road Improvement Fee can be modified, as appropriate, after those studies are completed.

Other Agency Involvement/Impact

This Study was presented to the San Miguel Advisory Committee at their March 22, 2006 meeting. Comments were received from the committee and addressed in the Study.

The signalization improvement at Mission and 14th Street will require an intertie with the Union Pacific Railroad crossing at 14th Street.

Financial Considerations

The establishment of the fee program will generate the estimated amount of \$1,427,962 that is required to mitigate the cumulative traffic impacts addressed in this staff report.

Results

Approval of the recommended action will result in the establishment of the San Miguel Road Improvement Fee and Circulation Study, and will enable the Department to construct road improvements necessary to accommodate traffic generated by future development in the San Miguel community. This action will facilitate your Board's desired community-wide results of a well-governed, and economically viable community.

Attachments: Resolution Establishing Fee
 Exhibit A. San Miguel Traffic Circulation Study
 Exhibit B. Board Policy on Peak Hour Trips
 Exhibit C. Vicinity Map

File: CF (830.85.01) Traffic Planning San Miguel Area

Reference: 06APR25-H-1

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IN THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

County of San Luis Obispo, State of California

_____ day _____, 20____

PRESENT: Supervisors

ABSENT:

RESOLUTION NO.

RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF SAN LUIS OBISPO ESTABLISHING THE ROAD IMPROVEMENT FEE FOR ALL DEVELOPMENTS WITHIN THE EASTERLY PORTION OF SAN MIGUEL OF THE COUNTY OF SAN LUIS OBISPO

The following resolution is hereby offered and read:

WHEREAS, the Board of Supervisors of the County of San Luis Obispo has adopted Ordinance No. 2379 creating and establishing the authority for imposing and charging a road improvement fee; and

WHEREAS, the unincorporated area on the easterly portion of San Miguel continues to develop and increase traffic impacts to the circulation system; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Supervisors has reviewed the San Miguel Traffic Circulation Study of 2006 and found that it includes all required elements of a Mitigation Fee Program (attached hereto and incorporated herein as Exhibit A); and

WHEREAS, the "San Miguel Traffic Circulation Study of 2006" describes the impacts of new development on existing road facilities and improvements within certain portions of the San Miguel Salinas River Planning Area of the Land Use Element of the San Luis Obispo County General Plan, and analyzes the need for new road facilities and improvements required by said new development, and sets forth the relationships among new development, the needed road facilities and improvements, and the estimated costs of those facilities and improvements; and

WHEREAS, said San Miguel Traffic Circulation Study of 2006 was available for public inspection and review fourteen (14) days prior to the public hearing of this Resolution; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Supervisors finds as follows:

A. The purpose of this Road Improvement Fee is to finance road facilities and improvements in order to reduce the impacts of traffic generated and caused by new development within the easterly portion of San Miguel.

B. The road improvement fees collected pursuant to this Resolution shall be used to finance only the capital improvements described in the text and/or identified in Appendix A of Exhibit A, attached hereto and incorporated herein.

C. After considering the San Miguel Traffic Circulation Study dated April 6, 2006, prepared for the County, and after considering the testimony received at the public hearing on this matter, the Board of Supervisors approved said Study, with findings that the new development will generate additional traffic within the San Miguel area and will contribute to the degradation of the level of service of the road system in said area.

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D. The Board of Supervisors further finds that there is a need in the San Miguel area for road facilities and improvements and said facilities and improvements have been called for in or are consistent with the County's General Plan and the San Miguel Area.

E. The Board of Supervisors further finds that the facts and evidence presented establish that there is a reasonable relationship between the need for the described road facilities and improvements and the impacts of the types of development described in paragraph "2. Amount of Fee." below for which the corresponding fee is charged, and, also there is a reasonable relationship between the fee's use and the type of development for which the fee is charged, as these reasonable relationships or nexus are in more detail described in the San Luis Obispo County General Plan and the San Miguel Traffic Circulation Study of 2006.

F. The Board of Supervisors further finds that the cost estimates set forth in Exhibit A are reasonable cost estimates for constructing the said facilities, and the fees expected to be generated by new development will not exceed the percentage of these costs attributable to new development.

G. The Board of Supervisors further finds that: (1) an account or fund has been established for capital road improvements and that funds have been appropriated and a proposed construction schedule including approximate funding and commitment dates has been adopted as set forth in Exhibit A hereto; and that (2) the County has already expended funds for capital road improvements within said area. As used in this section, "appropriated" means authorization by the Board of Supervisors to make expenditures and incur obligations for a road facility or improvement project shown in the Capital Improvement Program (Exhibit A).

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AND ORDERED by the Board of Supervisors of the County of San Luis Obispo, State of California, as follows:

1. This Resolution is adopted for the purpose of establishing a road improvement fee within the defined area of the easterly portion of San Miguel.

2. Amount of Fee. The amount of the road improvement fee within the Area of San Miguel Traffic Circulation Study shall be as follows:

Proposed Fee	Fee Amount
Single Family Residence	\$3,870 per peak hour trip
Multi-Family Complex per dwelling unit	\$3,870 per peak hour trip
Office per 1,000 S.F. of office space	\$3,870 per peak hour trip

These values are based on the I.T.E. trip generation rates (7th Edition)

For any new development wherein there are one or more residential uses combined with one or more other land uses, the number of peak hour trips caused or generated by said new development shall be determined as follows:

- (1) The number of peak hour trips caused or generated by the residential use(s) and the number of peak hour trips caused or generated by the non-residential land uses shall be separately determined and then,
- (2) The total road improvement fee for the new development shall be computed by multiplying the number of peak hour trips determined in subparagraph (1) above for each land use by the appropriate road improvement fee for each land use and then summing the results.

The number of peak hour trips caused or generated by a proposed new development project will be determined by the Director of Public Works in the manner set forth in the "Policy of the Board of Supervisors for Determination of Peak Hour Trips," which is attached hereto as Exhibit B and incorporated herein by reference.

3. Time of Payment of Fee. The road improvement fee established by said Ordinance No. 2379 and adjusted by this and subsequent resolutions shall be paid for new development as follows:

- (a) For new development that is solely residential (except for a mobile home park), the fee shall be paid prior to the issuance of a building permit for the new development.
- (b) For new development that is mobile home park, the fee shall be paid within 90 days after the date of approval of the development plan authorizing establishment of the mobile home park or prior to approval by the State Department of Housing and Community Development of an application for a permit to construct the mobile home park, whichever occurs first. Failure to pay the required fee shall be considered a nuisance and, in addition to all other remedies provided by law, shall be grounds for revocation of the development plan and/or initiation of nuisance abatement proceedings.
- (c) For new development that is non-residential or that is partly residential and combined with another land use(s) or which is a mobile home park, the fee shall be paid prior to issuance of any permit or approval required for the new development and prior to any commencement of a new development project or at the time of issuance of any required building permit, whichever is later.

4. Use of Fee. The road impact fee shall be solely used: (a) to pay for those road facilities and improvements described in Exhibit A hereto to be constructed by the County; (b) for reimbursing the County for the new development's fair share of those capital road facilities and improvements constructed by the County in anticipation of the new development; or (c) to reimburse prior developers who previously constructed road facilities and improvements described in Exhibit A attached hereto, where those facilities and improvements were beyond those needed to mitigate the impacts of said prior developer's project or projects in order to mitigate the foreseeable impacts of anticipated new development.

5. Fee Review. Annually, the Director of Public Works shall review the estimated cost of the described road facilities and improvements, the continued need for those road facilities and improvements, and the reasonable relationship between such need and the impacts of the various types of new development pending or anticipated and for which this fee is charged. The Director of Public Works shall report his or her findings to the Board of Supervisors at a noticed public hearing and shall recommend to the Board of Supervisors any adjustment to this fee or any other action as may be needed.

6. Road Improvement Fee Agreements. Prior to the enactment of this Resolution, Tract 2527 within the San Miguel Traffic Circulation Study Area of Benefit received approvals or permits which were conditioned upon the payment of road improvement fees by the developer. The amount of such fee shall be that fee charged pursuant to paragraph 3 above at the time of each building permit approval.

7. Effective Date. Pursuant to Section 66017 of the California Government Code, the effective date of this Resolution shall be sixty (60) days from the date of adoption of this Resolution.

8. Judicial Action to Challenge This Resolution. Any judicial action or proceeding to attack, review, set aside, void, or annul this Resolution shall be brought within 120 days.

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Upon motion of Supervisor _____, seconded by Supervisor _____, and on the following roll call vote, to wit:

AYES:

NOES:

ABSENT:

ABSTAINING:

the foregoing resolution is hereby adopted.

Chairperson of the Board of Supervisors

ATTEST:

Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

[SEAL]

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGAL EFFECT:

JAMES B. LINDHOLM, JR.

County Counsel

By: _____
Deputy County Counsel

Dated: 4.11.06

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STATE OF CALIFORNIA, }
County of San Luis Obispo, } ss.

I, _____, County Clerk and ex-officio Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, in and for the County of San Luis Obispo, State of California, do hereby certify the foregoing to be a full, true and correct copy of an order made by the Board of Supervisors, as the same appears spread upon their minute book.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of said Board of Supervisors, affixed this _____ day of _____, 20 _____.

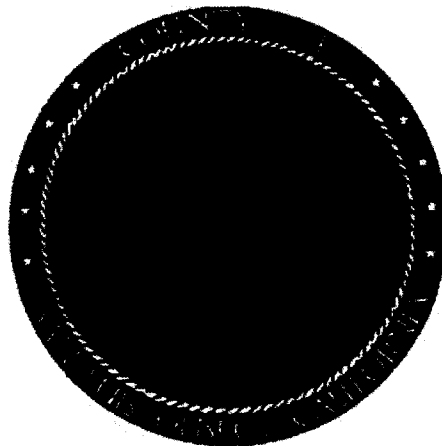
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County Clerk and Ex-Officio Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

By _____
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SAN MIGUEL TRAFFIC CIRCULATION STUDY

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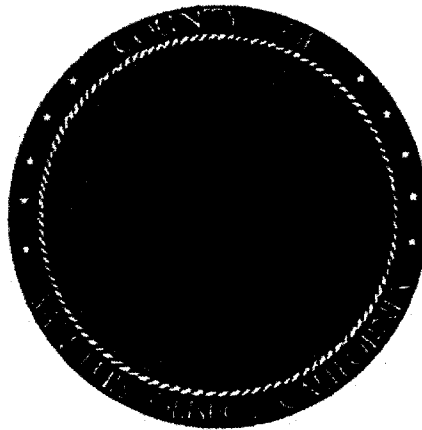
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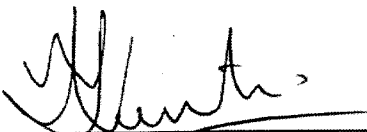
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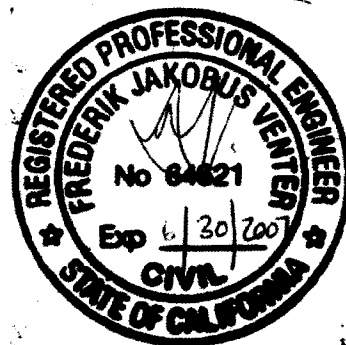
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This report has been prepared under the direction of the following Registered Person.


Registered Civil Engineer



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1 INTRODUCTION

This Traffic Circulation Study addresses the need for capacity related transportation improvements in the unincorporated area of San Miguel and traffic impacts on San Miguel's infrastructure through cumulative conditions. This report includes the costs and potential funding mechanisms for these improvements including adopting a Road Impact Fee and partnering with the County and their Road Impact Fee Program.

San Miguel is located approximately eight miles north of Paso Robles in San Luis Obispo County and has a population of approximately 1,500. A location map of the study area is indicated in **Figure 1.1**.

The objective of the technical analysis was to define future projected capacity demands and the transportation improvements necessary to accommodate them. A key element of the study was to determine the necessary capital improvement program and develop impact fees to support the program. This is done per government Code Section 66000 for exacting mitigation fees. The focus of the circulation study is developed to identify and correct capacity deficiencies related to new development, as they are the only projects that Road Impact Fee monies can be applied to (the Government Code Section 66000).

Other projects related to safety, bicycle, pedestrian, public transportation facilities and the existing roadway geometric deficiencies must be funded by other sources. As impact fee projects are developed, the roadway will be implemented to the current standard, incorporating bike paths as well as pedestrian paths where they are required by governing plans. There are several known large projects in San Miguel which have forced the need for the Traffic Impact Fee study. They are:

1. TR 2710
2. TR 2779
3. CO-04-0120
4. CO-02-0424
5. TR 2750
6. TR2723
7. TR 2647
8. TR 2527
9. TR 2637

These projects, together with vacant land in the area, were used to calculate the cumulative traffic at the two locations where improvements are required for cumulative conditions. The two improvement projects that have been identified include the following and are also indicated on **Figure 1.1**:

1. The implementation of a traffic signal and rail road preemption at the intersection of Mission Street / 14th Street – River Road
2. Widening of River Road south of Cross Canyons Road.

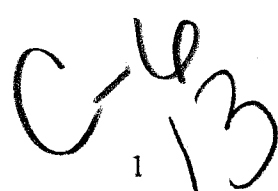
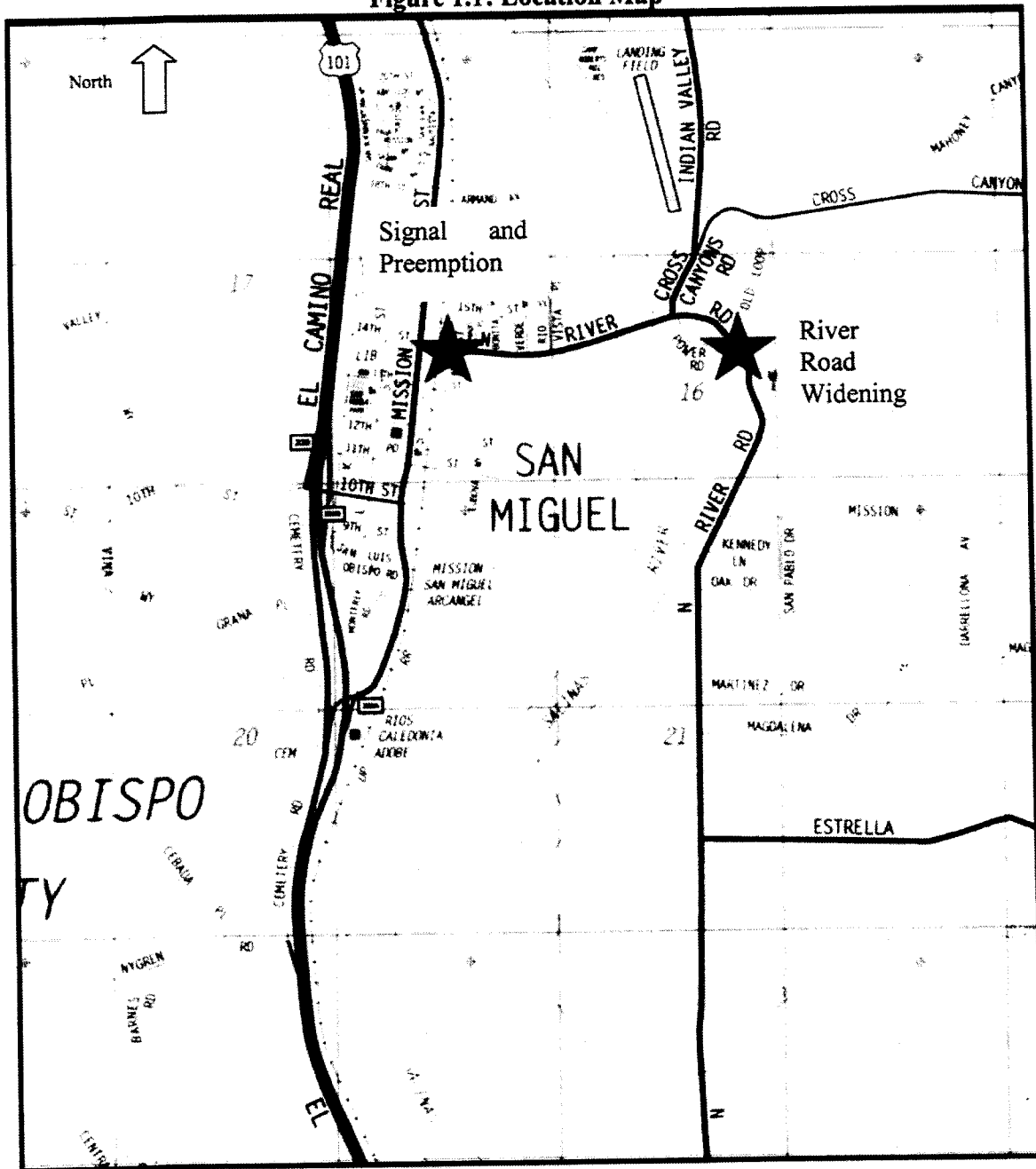


Figure 1.1: Location Map



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2 EXISTING CONDITIONS

The chapter reviews the existing conditions on the roadways studied in the Community of San Miguel. Topics include an inventory of the road system, review of functional classifications, analysis of traffic volumes and operations, and a discussion of the existing deficiencies.

For transportation planning purposes, all major roadways are classified according to their traffic carrying requirements and access control. The San Luis Obispo County Public Works Department uses a system of four functional classes:

1. Principal arterials are designed to carry high traffic volumes with minimum interruptions.
2. Arterials carry regional traffic at high speeds, but access is permitted at cross streets. Access to abutting parcels is controlled by permitting for driveways and encouragement of shared access.
3. Collectors serve sub regional traffic movement and provide local access to abutting properties. They also serve to collect and distribute traffic within neighborhoods and allow direct access to adjacent parcels.
4. Minor roads provide direct to property and through traffic is discouraged.

2.1 Roadway Inventory

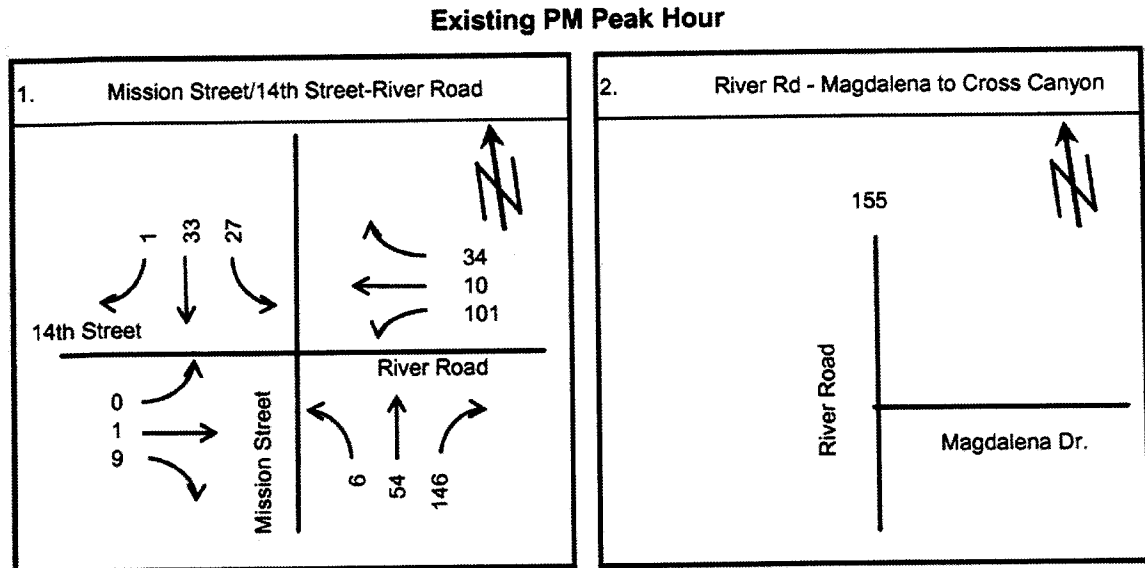
Regional and local streets in San Miguel are provided by Highway 101, Mission Street, River Road, Cross Canyons Road, Estrella Road and Indian Valley Road. Highway 101 is a four-lane freeway arterial that runs north-south through the study area. It is a limited access freeway that is accessed at two locations in the study area.

Mission Street in the south and 10th Street further north. Tenth Street also provides access to Mission Street. The Mission Street interchange provides southbound Highway 101 access and 10th Street northbound Highway 101 access.

2.2 Average Traffic Volumes

The most recent traffic counts were conducted during the morning and evening peak hours (7:00 to 9:00 AM and 4:00 to 6:00 PM) on May 9, 2005 at the Mission Street – 14th Street – River Road intersection, and on River Road at Martinez Drive intersection on June 13, 2005. From these counts AM and PM peak hour volumes were identified. These volumes are illustrated in **Figure 2.1**

Figure 2.1: Existing PM Peak Hour Traffic Volumes.



2.3 Traffic Levels of Service

Standards – The establishment of an acceptable Level of Service (LOS) for county maintained roads in San Luis Obispo County and subsequently San Miguel is important for balancing future development with practical road improvements in the community. To evaluate improvements, current road levels of service are compared to estimated future level of service and associated capacities.

2.4 Level of Service for Roadways

A brief description of each LOS criteria is provided below.

Under LOS A conditions, free-flow exists. Each individual driver is virtually unaffected by the presence of others in the traffic stream.

Under LOS B conditions, stable traffic flow exists. The individual drivers have the freedom to select a desired speed, but encounter a slight decline in the freedom to maneuver.

Under LOS C conditions, stable and acceptable traffic flow exists but speed and maneuverability are somewhat restricted due to higher traffic volumes. The individual driver will be significantly affected by the presence of others.

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Under LOS D conditions, high density but stable flow will occur. The individual driver will experience a generally poorer level of comfort and convenience. Small increases in traffic flow will cause operational problems and restricted driver maneuverability.

Under LOS E conditions, speeds are reduced to low, but relatively uniform value. Individual driver's ability to maneuver becomes extremely difficult with high frustration. A traffic volume on the road is near capacity.

Under LOS F conditions, forced or breakdown flow has occurred. The individual driver is stopped for long periods due to conditions.

2.5 Level of Service for Intersections

Intersection traffic flow operations were evaluated using a level of service (LOS) concept, which is the county of San Luis Obispo standard. Intersections are rated based on a grading scale of "LOS A" through "LOS F", with "LOS A" representing free flowing conditions and "LOS F" representing forced flow conditions. The County of San Luis Obispo has established LOS C as the minimum acceptable LOS for overall intersection operations. **Appendix A** shows the relationship between vehicle delay and levels of service categories for signalized intersections.

Generally, LOS F operations on the minor street approach of two-way or one-way stop controlled intersections are considered the threshold warranting improvements.

For signalized intersections, average control delay per vehicle is utilized to define intersection level of service. Delay is dependent on a number of factors including the signal cycle length, the roadway capacity (number of travel lanes) provided on each intersection approach and the traffic demand. The TRAFFIX 7.7 software program was utilized to calculate signalized intersection levels of service.

At one and two-way stop controlled intersections, the operating efficiency of vehicle movements that must yield to through movements were analyzed. The level of service for vehicle movements on the controlled approaches is based on the distribution of gaps in the major street traffic stream and driver judgment in selecting gaps. **Appendix B** shows the relationship between the vehicle delay and level of service for two-way stop controlled intersections. The 2000 HCM calculates the level of service of the minor street approaches. Using this data, an overall intersection level of service was calculated. Both are reported in this study because traffic on the minor street approaches has the lowest priority of right-of-way at the intersection and is the most critical in terms of delay. The TRAFFIX 7.7 software program was utilized to calculate intersection levels of service for intersections that are one and two-way stop controlled.

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2.6 Existing Conditions Analysis

Existing capacity deficiencies are identified when a road or intersection within the local study area falls below the county adopted level of service standard. Correction of a capacity deficiency could involve improvements to the deficient vicinity itself, or to parallel vicinity that can relieve excess traffic.

One reason that existing capacity deficiencies must be identified is because road impact fees can be used to improve existing geometric deficiencies unless they improve roadway capacity as well. In order for changes to these areas to be funded through the impact fee they must show an improvement to the capacity problem related to development.

The PM peak hour volumes on River Road between Magdalena Road and Cross Canyons Road is 155 vehicles, which is low and the operating LOS is B.

The analysis of the intersection of Mission Street / 14th Street – River Road and River Road between Cross Canyons Road and Martinez Drive indicate that no deficiencies exist in terms of levels of service, however, the nonstandard roadway cross section on River Road through the canyon is a matter of concern for the Public Works Department of the County of San Luis Obispo.

At this location, River Road curves northwesterly, as one proceeds from south to north, over a canyon that was filled in when the roadway was first built. Due to the steep drop to the bottom of the canyon on either side of River Road in this area, guard rails are currently in place on both sides of the roadway. River Road in this area, as well as further south towards Estrella and Martinez Drive, is narrow and has only sporadic sections with dirt shoulders.

River Road is only 20 feet wide, with one ten-foot level in each direction and no paved shoulders. There is also no shoulder striping along River Road. In some areas along River Road, there are dirt shoulders and turnouts however, in advance of the guardrail there is no shoulder along the southbound direction and only a one-foot unpaved shoulder northbound. Along the guardrail, there is a four-foot northbound unpaved shoulder and a one-foot southbound shoulder. As for the curve itself, because it is easily visible from both directions, however the design speed of the curve appears to be smaller than the prevailing speed along River Road in this area, requiring faster vehicles to slow down when passing through the curve.

The intersection of Mission Street/14th Street-River Road intersection currently operates at overall LOS A during both the AM and PM peak hours and LOS B on the worst approaches (east-west), which is within the County's standards. Thus there is no existing deficiency at this intersection. **Appendix C** indicates the LOS worksheets.

The Union Pacific Railroad rail crossing at River Road is currently controlled by flashing lights and gates. Field measurements performed in May 2005 found that the rail line is

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located 180 feet east of the westbound stop bar on River Road. Assuming a vehicle length of 25 feet, this distance would provide enough storage for 7 passenger cars. The low cross traffic volumes along Mission Street lead to a 95th percentile, or design queue length of only one vehicle on westbound River Road under existing conditions, and will therefore not extend back to the railroad crossing. This matches observations at the intersection in May 2005, where the low traffic on Mission Street allowed vehicles on River Road to turn either left or right almost immediately after coming to a stop.

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3 TRAVEL FORECASTS

Forecasts of future traffic volumes in San Miguel were prepared to serve as a basis for the evaluation of the capacity improvement needs. Forecasts were based on expected buildout of lots and current zoning regulations as well as cumulative projects in the area.

Additional growth is anticipated over the next 15 years within the greater San Miguel area. To estimate the future traffic growth, known cumulative projects and two San Luis Obispo County General Plan planning documents were utilized – the Salinas River Area Plan, last updated January 2, 1996, and the San Miguel Community Design Plan, adopted April 8, 2003. Both documents detail the land uses of parcels within San Miguel, as well as what specific types of uses are allowed within those areas. **Appendix D** contains the land use map for the San Miguel area. Based upon both documents, the following assumptions were utilized in quantifying the likely amount of growth in the area:

Residential: The San Luis Obispo County Department of Planning and Building anticipates a growth in housing in the greater San Miguel area of approximately 460 new dwelling units within San Miguel. These 460 units were then split up based upon the relative parcel sizes of the undeveloped residentially zoned areas within San Miguel.

Commercial: The estimated building sizes within the commercial areas were based upon the size of the parcels and a floor area ratio of 0.5 (central portion of town) and 0.25 (for the parcel southwest of the Highway 101/10th Street interchange).

The floor area ratio of 0.5 was chosen for the commercial areas in the core portion of town, in order to reflect the style of development currently present in that portion of town.

The floor area ratio of 0.25 was used for the parcel at the Highway 101/10th Street interchange in order to better reflect the development caveat for that parcel identified within the Salinas River Area Plan – the size of the development on that parcel will be based upon the amount of remaining capacity after considering buildout of the other commercial parcels within the area.

In addition, walking and pass-by trip reductions were taken on the commercial trip generation, to account for non-vehicle trips and trips made by existing traffic to those areas. The relatively compact size of San Miguel, as well as its isolation from other communities, would likely lead to a sizable amount of both pedestrian-based trips and pass-by trips by people already in the area.

Industrial/Office: The estimated building sizes were based upon the same methodology as the commercial areas, although floor area ratios of 0.5 were utilized for all of the uses. The Salinas River Area Plan guidelines limit the

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uses within industrial areas to primarily office and warehousing; therefore, warehousing was assumed in the industrial areas north of River Road and south of 11th Street, and office space was assumed between River Road and 11th Street.

Recreational: The allowable uses within the undeveloped recreation space surrounding the Mission San Miguel Arcangel are limited to small-scale development of museums, churches, and other low-density developments that would be compatible with the adjacent Mission grounds. It was assumed that a new 20,000 square-foot church would be constructed adjacent to Highway 101. A one-field sports park was also assumed, to be located immediately east of the church and east of the railroad line.

The following known cumulative projects are included in the Cumulative Conditions traffic volume estimates:

1. TR 2710
2. TR 2779
3. CO-04-0120
4. CO-02-0424
5. TR 2750
6. TR2723
7. TR 2647
8. TR 2527
9. TR 2637

The cumulative project locations are indicated on San Miguel Traffic Analysis Zone (TAZ) Map – **Figure 4.2**.

3.1 Trip Generation and Distribution of Cumulative (Future) Projects

Future trips were estimated using trip generation rates from the Institute of Transportation Engineers publication *Trip Generation, Seventh Edition, 2003*. **Table 3.1** indicates the cumulative project trip generation. The future land uses were identified from the General Plan Buildout Land Use map as indicated in Figure 4.2 and field observations and estimates all the future land use developments in San Miguel.

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Table 3.1 Cumulative Project Trip Generation

	ITE LAND USE CODE	PROJECT SIZE	DAILY TRIPS	AM PEAK HOUR				PM PEAK HOUR			
				TOTAL PEAK HOUR	% ADT	IN	OUT	TOTAL PEAK HOUR	% ADT	IN	OUT
TRIP GENERATION RATES ¹											
Warehousing	150		4.96	0.45	9%	0.82	0.18	0.47	9%	0.25	0.75
Single-Family Detached Housing (per unit)	210		9.57	0.75	8%	0.25	0.75	1.01	11%	0.64	0.36
Soccer Complex	488		71.33	1.40	2%	0.50	0.50	20.67	29%	0.69	0.31
Church	560		9.11	0.72	8%	0.54	0.46	0.66	7%	0.52	0.48
General Office Building	710		11.01	1.55	14%	0.88	0.12	1.49	14%	0.17	0.83
Specialty Retail Center	814		44.32	1.33	3%	0.50	0.50	2.71	6%	0.44	0.56
TRIPS											
Local Commercial											
Downtown - Mission Street (per 1,000 sq. ft.)	814	50,000 sq. ft.	2,216	67	3%	34	33	136	6%	60	76
Walking/Passby Trip Reduction (25%)			554	17		9	8	34		15	19
NET NEW TRIPS:			1,662	50		25	25	102		45	57
Regional/Tourist-Oriented Commercial											
S. of 10th & W. of 101 (per 1,000 sq. ft.)	814	100,000 sq. ft.	4,432	133	3%	67	66	271	6%	119	152
S. of 10th & E. of 101 (per 1,000 sq. ft.)	814	50,000 sq. ft.	2,216	67	3%	34	33	136	6%	60	76
SUBTOTAL:			6,648	200	3%	101	99	407	6%	179	228
Freeway Passby Trip Reduction (50%)			3,324	100		50	50	204		102	102
NET NEW TRIPS:			3,324	100		51	49	203		77	126
Industrial/Office											
Warehousing - North	150	120,000 sq. ft.	595	54	9%	44	10	56	9%	14	42
Warehousing - South	150	120,000 sq. ft.	595	54	9%	44	10	56	9%	14	42
Downtown - "N" Street (per 1,000 sq. ft.)	150	75,000 sq. ft.	372	34	9%	28	6	35	9%	9	26
General Office Building - Mission Street	710	60,000 sq. ft.	661	93	14%	82	11	89	13%	15	74
General Office Building - W. of Mission Street	710	10,000 sq. ft.	443	16	4%	14	2	15	3%	3	12
SUBTOTAL:			2,223	235	11%	198	37	236	11%	52	184
Recreational											
Church	560	20,000 sq. ft.	182	14	8%	8	6	13	7%	7	6
Soccer Complex	488	1 field	71	1	1%	1	0	21	30%	14	7
SUBTOTAL:			253	15		9	6	34		21	13
Residential											
E and W of Mission	210	120 Units	1,148	90	8%	23	67	121	11%	77	44
SW of 101/10th Interchange	210	40 Units	2,853	30	1%	8	22	40	1%	26	14
San Miguel Terrace area	210	43 Units	412	32	8%	8	24	43	10%	28	15
S. of 11th Street	210	60 Units	574	45	8%	11	34	61	11%	39	22
11th Street to River Road	210	50 Units	479	38	8%	10	28	51	11%	33	18
S. of Sewage Treatment Plant	210	50 Units	3,567	38	1%	10	28	51	1%	33	18
N. of River Road	210	60 Units	574	45	8%	11	34	61	11%	39	22
SUBTOTAL:		423 Units	9,607	318	3%	81	237	428	4%	275	153
NET NEW TOTAL:			17,069	718		364	354	1,003		470	533

Notes:

1. Trip generation rates from *Trip Generation*, 7th Edition, Institute of Transportation Engineers, 2003.
2. Potential building sizes estimated based upon rough square footage of parcels and floor area ratios between 0.25 and 0.5.
3. Potential number of residences estimated at approximately 460 units, based upon information provided by County of San Luis Obispo Department of Planning and Building representative.
4. Specific uses within the Industrial and Recreational land use areas are based upon permissible land uses per the San Luis Obispo County General Plan.
5. Residential unit breakdown by subarea based upon relative size of parcels, as well as restriction of amount of development on one parcel south of 11th Street.

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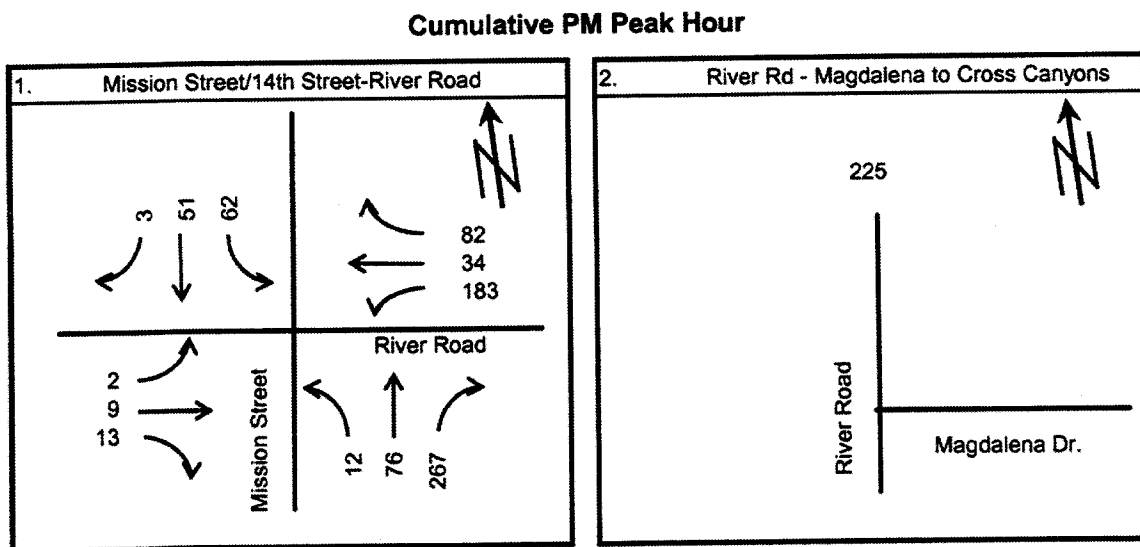
The cumulative projects traffic was distributed onto the area street network based upon existing travel patterns and adjacent land use in northern San Luis Obispo County including San Miguel and Paso Robles. The Plan Buildout/ Cumulative Conditions project trip distribution onto the study street network is indicated below.

To and from Highway 101 north	- 15%
To and from Highway 101	- 60%
River Road	- 15%
To and from the east - northern San Miguel	- 5%
Central / Southern - San Miguel	- 5%
Total	- 100%

3.2 Cumulative Conditions Traffic Volumes

The cumulative conditions analysis trips were added to the existing traffic at the study intersection and roadway segment. The cumulative volumes have been confirmed by County staff as appropriate for use in this study. The Cumulative Conditions Traffic volumes are indicated in **Figure 3.1**

Figure 3.1: Cumulative Conditions PM Peak Hour Traffic Volumes



3.3 Cumulative Conditions LOS Analysis

With the addition of the cumulative traffic the overall levels of service at the Mission/14th-River intersection would be LOS A during the AM peak hour and LOS B during the PM peak hour, with worst-approach levels of service of LOS C during the AM peak hour, and LOS D during the PM peak hour. No improvements would be required at the intersection due to levels of service. The LOS worksheets are attached in

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Appendix E.

Westbound vehicle queues under Cumulative Conditions were also evaluated. As most of the new development within San Miguel would be concentrated east of the railroad tracks, cross traffic volumes along Mission Street would continue to remain rather low, thereby leading to relatively low delays and minimizing the vehicle queues on westbound River Road. Table 3.2 indicates the expected queue lengths on the eastbound approach of River Road.

Table 3.2: Eastbound Queue Lengths on River Road

Scenario	Peak Hour	Traffic Volume	Approach Capacity	95% Vehicle Queue		Available Storage (ft)	Queue Acceptable?
				(vehicles)	(feet)		
Cumulative	AM	303	555	4	100	180	Yes
	PM	299	431	7	175	180	Marginal

Notes:

1. Analysis time period (T) = 1 hours
2. 1 vehicle = 25 feet (est.)
3. "Traffic Volume" refers to total traffic (all movements) on westbound River Road at Mission Street during given peak period.
4. Approach Capacity taken from level of service calculations in Appendix B.
5. Vehicle queue (95th percentile) estimate based upon the following formula:

$$Q_{95} \approx 900T \left[\frac{V_x}{C_{m,x}} - 1 + \sqrt{\left(\frac{V_x}{C_{m,x}} - 1 \right)^2 + \frac{\left(\frac{3600}{C_{m,x}} \right) \left(\frac{V_x}{C_{m,x}} \right)}{150T}} \right] \left(\frac{C_{m,x}}{3600} \right)$$

(Source: *Highway Capacity Manual* Transportation Research Board, 2000.)

6. 95% Vehicle Queue is the maximum queue length that has only a 5% probability of being exceeded.

Under Cumulative conditions, vehicle queues on westbound River Road would increase to 4 vehicles during the morning peak hour and 7 vehicles during the evening peak hour. The PM peak hour queue is marginal and an increase of one vehicle or the presence of a heavy vehicle (articulated truck) in the queue during the PM peak hour may result in a vehicle being trapped on the railway tracks.

As indicated in **Appendix F**, the intersection will exceed traffic signal and all-way stop control warrants for the evening peak hours. A traffic signal should also be installed because it will greatly improve the ability of River Road traffic to clear the railroad crossing when a train activates the crossing gates. The traffic signal will need to have railroad preemption. This will better accommodate pedestrian and bicycle traffic, which will increase substantially under cumulative conditions. For example, the existing elementary school, as well as much of the downtown area is west of Mission Street. It will also have a traffic calming effect on Mission Street, which is the core of the downtown and, currently, has relatively high traffic speeds although posted for 25 miles per hour. The resulting level of service under traffic signal control is LOS B. Much of the future residential development will be east of Mission Street along River Road.

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Increased school age pedestrian traffic will be required to cross Mission Street at this intersection.

However, as for Existing Conditions, the San Luis Obispo County Public Works Department has expressed concerns regarding operations on a section of River Road just southeast of Cross Canyons Road. At this location, River Road curves northwesterly, as one proceeds from south to north, over a canyon that was filled in when the roadway was first built. Due to the steep drop to the bottom of the canyon on either side of River Road in this area, guardrail is currently in place on both sides of the roadway. River Road in this area, as well as further south towards Magdalena Drive, is narrow and has only sporadic sections with dirt shoulders. River Road is only 20 feet wide, with one 10-foot travel lane in each direction, and no paved shoulder. There is also no shoulder striping along River Road. In some areas along River Road, there are dirt shoulders and turnouts; however, in advance of the guardrail, there is no shoulder along the southbound direction and only a 1-foot unpaved shoulder northbound. Along the guardrail, there is a 4-foot northbound unpaved shoulder, and a 1-foot southbound shoulder. As for the curve itself, the curve is easily visible from both directions; however, the design speed of the curve appears to be smaller than the prevailing travel speed along River Road in this area, requiring faster vehicles to slow down when passing through the curve.

It is thus recommended to widen River Road to improve traffic operations along this section of roadway.

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4 ROAD IMPACT FEE

The future improvements would incrementally add to the adverse operating conditions at the study intersection and segment as indicated in this report. The narrow roadway along River Road is an existing deficiency and the County would have to also contribute a fair share contribution towards the improvement. The share would be based on the existing traffic volumes along River Road. For fair share contributions, only the PM peak hour volumes are utilized. Required improvements will be funded through a San Miguel Road Impact Fee Program. Since the road improvement projects are located to the east of Mission Street, the Fee area defined to calculate the contributions would include projects to the east of the railway tracks. The Fee Area is indicated in **Figure 4.1** and the Land Use Map and TAZ map in **Figure 4.2**.

4.1 Improvement Projects

The two improvement projects identified in the study includes the signalization of the Mission Street / 14th Street-River Road intersection with preemption of the gates and traffic control at the Rail Road Crossing on River Road. Cost estimates have been prepared based on current (year 2006) cost data. The expected planning and implementation cost for the signal, with the preemption construction work is estimated at \$837,000. **Appendix G** indicates the detail of the cost estimate and includes construction costs, construction contingencies (20%), design costs, environmental review costs, and other administrative costs (55%).

The estimate cost for widening River Road is \$751,719. **Appendix H** indicates the detail of the cost estimates. **Appendix I** indicates the existing conditions and deficiencies along River Road. The cost includes construction costs, construction contingencies (20%), design costs, environmental review costs, and other administrative costs (55%).

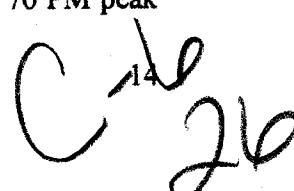
4.2 Fair Share Contributions

To equitably share the cost of the improvements between the cumulative projects, a fair share distribution between the trip generations of the cumulative projects and existing traffic were used to calculate a cost per PM peak hour trip generated. The existing traffic volumes were used to calculate the County share for the River Road improvements because it is an existing deficiency and the cumulative traffic was used to calculate the cumulative project fair share contributions.

To calculate the County's share to the required River Road improvements, the typical roadway cross sections, Drawing A-1 (c), attached in Appendix J, was utilized. The cross section is the county standard for the River Road project and thus the lower threshold for this cross section, 1,000 vehicles per day is used as measure to determine the existing deficiency.

Based on the PM peak hour counts, the existing daily volume is approximately 1,550 (PM peak hour is 10% of daily volume) on River Road north of Martinez Drive. Thus the County share would be based on the number of daily trips in excess of 1,000, or 550 daily, or 55 PM peak hour trips.

The cumulative traffic on River Road is estimated to increase by 700 daily trips or 70 PM peak



hour trips. Thus the County of San Luis Obispo will contribute 44% (\$330,757) towards the Fee Program for the River Road improvements. The remainder of the improvement for River Road and the full cost for the Mission Street/River Road signal will be borne by the cumulative projects i.e. \$1,257,962. **Table 4.1** is a summary of the calculations for the County share on the River road project. Also included in the fee is the cost estimate of updating the fee study every year up to 2025. The cost calculation for the fee estimate is \$15, 000 for the current study, \$5,000 for each of four years and \$25,000 every fifth year. Thus the total cost for maintaining the fee program is \$170,000.

Table 4.1: San Miguel Fee: County Share Calculation- River Road Project

Existing PM peak hour trips	155 trips
Cumulative PM peak hour volume	225 trips
County threshold per Drawing A-1 (c) (PM peak hour – assumed 10% of ADT)	100 trips
“Existing PM peak hour deficiency”	55 trips
Cumulative PM peak hour trips	70 trips
Total PM peak hour trips that will pay for improvement	125 trips
County share	44%
Cumulative project share	55%
Total cost for River Road widening	\$751,719
County share (44%)	\$330,757
Cumulative project share	\$420,962

The cumulative project trip generation within the fee area is indicated in **Table 4.2**. The table indicates that the cumulative projects would add 369 PM peak hour trips to the road network. The known cumulative residential projects are indicated on **Figure 4.1**. and the TAZ's on the Land Use map, **Figure 4.2**. The vacant areas for possible residential development are included in TAZ's 206, 207 and 304. Warehouse uses of 240,000 square feet alongside the railway tracks in TAZ 205 and 206 have also been included in the fee calculations.

Table 4.2: Fee Area Cumulative Project Trip Generation

	ITE LAND USE CODE	PROJECT SIZE	DAILY TRIPS	AM PEAK HOUR				PM PEAK HOUR			
				TOTAL PEAK HOUR	% OF ADT	IN	OUT	TOTAL PEAK HOUR	% OF ADT	IN	OUT
<u>TRIP GENERATION RATES ¹</u>											
Warehousing	150		4.96	0.45	9%	0.82	0.18	0.47	9%	0.25	0.75
SF Detached Housing (per unit)	210		9.57	0.75	8%	0.25	0.75	1.01	11%	0.64	0.36
<u>TRIPS</u>											
<u>Industrial/Office</u>											
Warehousing - North (TAZ 205)	150	120,000 sq. ft.	595	54	9%	44	10	56	9%	14	42
Warehousing - South (TAZ 206)	150	120,000 sq. ft.	595	54	9%	44	10	56	9%	14	42
SUBTOTAL:			1,190	108	9%	88	20	112	9%	28	84
<u>Residential</u>											
TR 2710 (TAZ 207)	210	10 Units	96	8	8%	2	6	10	10%	6	4
TR 2779 (TAZ 207)	210	12 Units	115	9	8%	2	7	12	10%	8	4
CO 04-0120 (TAZ 304)	210	6 Units	57	5	9%	1	4	6	11%	4	2
CO 02-0424 (TAZ 304)	210	5 Units	48	4	8%	1	3	5	10%	3	2
TR 2750 (TAZ 205)	210	13 Units	124	10	8%	3	7	13	10%	8	5
TR 2723 (TAZ 304)	210	37 Units	354	28	8%	7	21	37	10%	24	13
TR 2647 (TAZ 302)	210	11 Units	105	8	8%	2	6	11	10%	7	4
TR 2527 (TAZ 207)	210	60 Units	574	45	8%	11	34	61	11%	39	22
TR 2637 (TAZ 206)	210	57 Units	545	43	8%	11	32	58	11%	37	21
Vacant land (TAZ 304)	210	10 Units	96	8	8%	2	6	10	10%	6	4
Vacant land (TAZ 206)	210	24 Units	230	18	8%	5	13	24	10%	15	9
Vacant land (TAZ 207)	210	10 Units	96	8	8%	2	6	10	10%	6	4
SUBTOTAL:		255 Units	2,440	194	8%	49	145	257	11%	163	94
NET NEW TOTAL:											
			3,630	302		137	165	369		191	178

Notes:

1. Trip generation rates from *Trip Generation*, 7th Edition, Institute of Transportation Engineers, 2003.
2. Potential building sizes estimated based upon rough square footage of parcels and floor area ratios between 0.25 and 0.5.
3. Potential number of residences estimated based upon LU information provided by County of San Luis Obispo Department of Planning and Building representative.

The cost per PM peak hour trip for the cumulative projects is thus \$3,870. A summary of the cost calculations is indicated in **Table 4.3**.

Table 4.3: San Miguel Fee Calculations for Cumulative Projects

Project	Cost
Mission/14 th -River signal improvement	\$837,000
River Road widening (Cumulative project share only)	\$420,962
Fee program updates (up to 2025)	\$170,000
Total Cost	\$1,427,962
<i>Cost per cumulative trip (369 PM peak hour trips)</i>	<i>\$3,870</i>

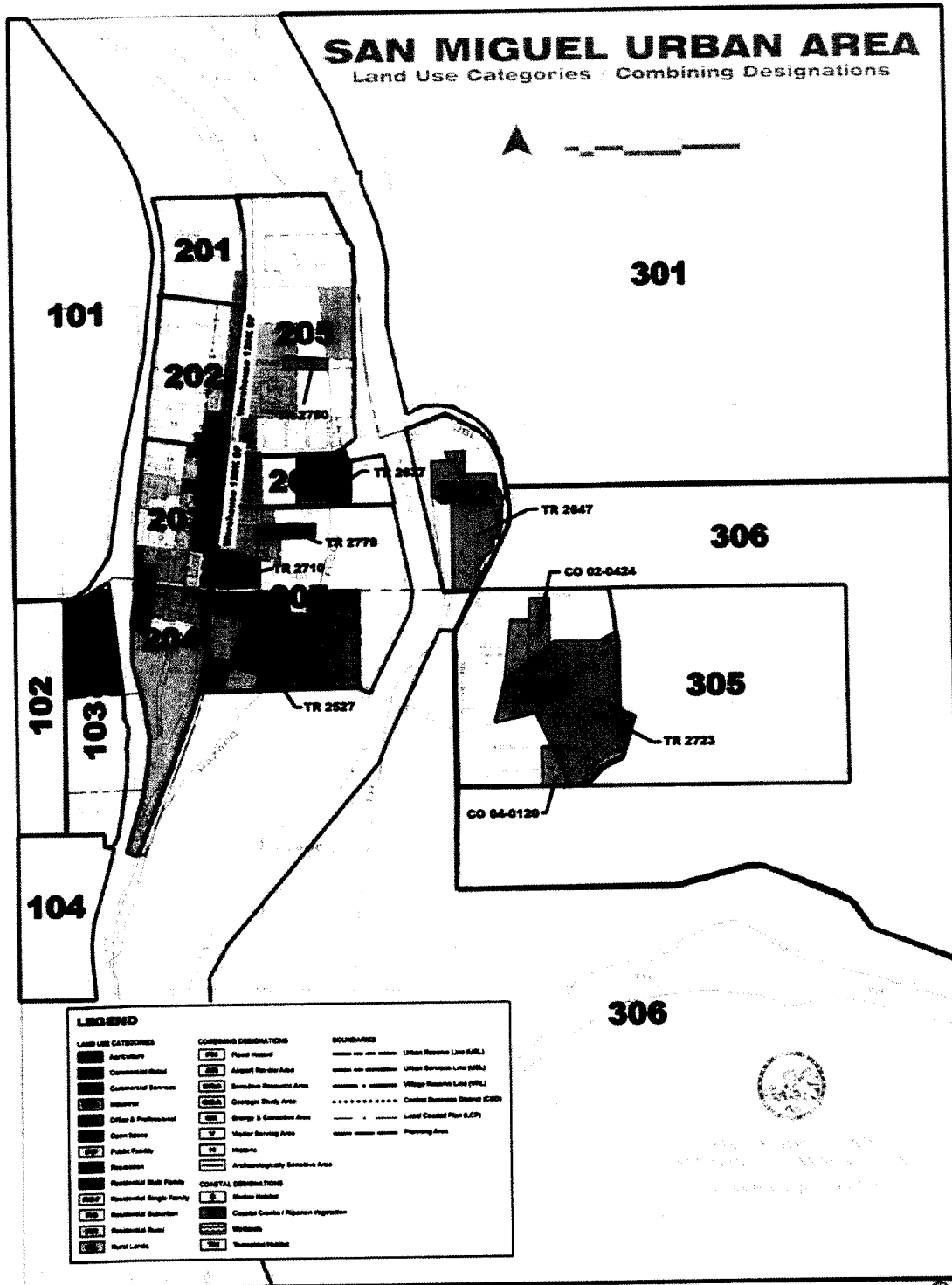
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Figure 4.1: Cumulative Project Location in Fee Area



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**Figure 4.2: Land Use and TAZ
 Map**



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APPENDIX A

**LEVEL OF SERVICE DESCRIPTION –
SIGNALIZED INTERSECTION**

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APPENDIX A

LEVEL OF SERVICE (LOS) DESCRIPTION SIGNALIZED INTERSECTIONS

The capacity of an urban street is related primarily to the signal timing and the geometric characteristics of the facility as well as to the composition of traffic on the facility. Geometrics are a fixed characteristic of a facility. Thus, while traffic composition may vary somewhat over time, the capacity of a facility is generally a stable value that can be significantly improved only by initiating geometric improvements. A traffic signal essentially allocates time among conflicting traffic movements that seek to use the same space. The way in which time is allocated significantly affects the operation and the capacity of the intersection and its approaches.

The methodology for signalized intersection is designed to consider individual intersection approaches and individual lane groups within approaches. A lane group consists of one or more lanes on an intersection approach. The outputs from application of the method described in the HCM 2000 are reported on the basis of each lane. For a given lane group at a signalized intersection, three indications are displayed: green, yellow and red. The red indication may include a short period during which all indications are red, referred to as an all-red interval and the yellow indication forms the change and clearance interval between two green phases.

The methodology for analyzing the capacity and level of service must consider a wide variety of prevailing conditions, including the amount and distribution of traffic movements, traffic composition, geometric characteristics, and details of intersection signalization. The methodology addresses the capacity, LOS, and other performance measures for lane groups and the intersection approaches and the LOS for the intersection as a whole.

Capacity is evaluated in terms of the ratio of demand flow rate to capacity (v/c ratio), whereas LOS is evaluated on the basis of control delay per vehicle (in seconds per vehicle). The methodology does not take into account the potential impact of downstream congestion on intersection operation, nor does the methodology detect and adjust for the impacts of turn-pocket overflows on through traffic and intersection operation.

LEVEL OF SERVICE (LOS) CRITERIA FOR SIGNALIZED INTERSECTIONS (Reference Highway Capacity Manual 2000)

Level of Service	Control Delay (seconds / vehicle)
A	<10
B	>10 - 20
C	>20 - 35
D	>35 - 55
E	>55 - 80
F	>80

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APPENDIX B

**LEVEL OF SERVICE DESCRIPTION –
UNSIGNALIZED INTERSECTIONS WITH
TWO-WAY STOP CONTROL**

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APPENDIX B

LEVEL OF SERVICE (LOS) DESCRIPTION UNSIGNALIZED INTERSECTIONS WITH TWO-WAY STOP CONTROL (TWSC)

TWSC intersections are widely used and stop signs are used to control vehicle movements at such intersections. At TWSC intersections, the stop-controlled approaches are referred to as the minor street approaches; they can be either public streets or private driveways. The intersection approaches that are not controlled by stop signs are referred to as the major street approaches. A three-leg intersection is considered to be a standard type of TWSC intersection if the single minor street approach (i.e. the stem of the T configuration) is controlled by a stop sign. Three-leg intersections where two of the three approaches are controlled by stop signs are a special form of unsignalized intersection control.

At TWSC intersections, drivers on the controlled approaches are required to select gaps in the major street flow through which to execute crossing or turning maneuvers on the basis of judgement. In the presence of a queue, each driver on the controlled approach must use some time to move into the front-of-queue position and prepare to evaluate gaps in the major street flow. Capacity analysis at TWSC intersections depends on a clear description and understanding of the interaction of drivers on the minor or stop-controlled approach with drivers on the major street. Both gap acceptance and empirical models have been developed to describe this interaction.

Thus, the capacity of the controlled legs is based on three factors:

- the distribution of gaps in the major street traffic stream,;
- driver judgement in selecting gaps through which to execute the desired maneuvers; and
- the follow-up time required by each driver in a queue.

The delay experienced by a motorist is made up of a number of factors that relate to control, geometrics, traffic and incidents. Total delay is the difference between the travel time actually experienced and the reference travel time that would result during base conditions, in the absence of incident, control, traffic or geometric delay. Average control delay for any particular minor movement is a function of the capacity of the approach and the degree of saturation and referred to as level of service.

LEVEL OF SERVICE (LOS) CRITERIA FOR TWSC INTERSECTIONS (Reference Highway Capacity Manual 2000)

Level of Service	Control Delay (seconds / vehicle)
A	0 - 10
B	>10 - 15
C	>15 - 25
D	>25 - 35
E	>35 - 50
F	>50

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APPENDIX C

**EXISTING CONDITIONS INTERSECTION
AND SEGMENT
LEVEL OF SERVICE CALCULATIONS
TRAFFIX ANALYSIS WORKSHEETS**

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Level Of Service Computation Report
2000 HCM Unsignalized Method (Base Volume Alternative)

Intersection #2041 Mission/14th-River

Average Delay (sec/veh): 5.7 Worst Case Level Of Service: B[10.8]

Approach:	North Bound			South Bound			East Bound			West Bound		
Movement:	L	T	R	L	T	R	L	T	R	L	T	R
Control:	Uncontrolled			Uncontrolled			Stop Sign			Stop Sign		
Rights:	Include			Include			Include			Include		
Lanes:	0	0	1! 0 0	0	0	1! 0 0	0	0	0 1 0	0	0	1! 0 0

Volume Module: >> Count Date:	9 May 2005 << 7:00 - 8:00 AM											
Base Vol:	3	54	49	10	60	1	0	2	3	129	4	40
Growth Adj:	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
Initial Bse:	3	54	49	10	60	1	0	2	3	129	4	40
User Adj:	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
PHF Adj:	0.93	0.93	0.93	0.93	0.93	0.93	0.93	0.93	0.93	0.93	0.93	0.93
PHF Volume:	3	58	53	11	65	1	0	2	3	139	4	43
Reduct Vol:	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Final Vol.:	3	58	53	11	65	1	0	2	3	139	4	43

Critical Gap Module:												
Critical Gp:	4.1	xxxx	xxxxx	4.1	xxxx	xxxxx	xxxxx	6.5	6.2	7.1	6.5	6.2
FollowUpTim:	2.2	xxxx	xxxxx	2.2	xxxx	xxxxx	xxxxx	4.0	3.3	3.5	4.0	3.3

Capacity Module:												
Cnflct Vol:	66	xxxx	xxxxx	111	xxxx	xxxxx	xxxxx	204	65	180	178	84
Potent Cap.:	1536	xxxx	xxxxx	1479	xxxx	xxxxx	xxxxx	693	999	782	716	975
Move Cap.:	1536	xxxx	xxxxx	1479	xxxx	xxxxx	xxxxx	686	999	772	709	975
Volume/Cap:	0.00	xxxx	xxxxx	0.01	xxxx	xxxxx	xxxxx	0.00	0.00	0.18	0.01	0.04

Level Of Service Module:												
Queue:	0.0	xxxx	xxxxx	0.0	xxxx	xxxxx	xxxxx	xxxx	xxxxx	xxxxx	xxxx	xxxxx
Stopped Del:	7.3	xxxx	xxxxx	7.5	xxxx	xxxxx	xxxxx	xxxx	xxxxx	xxxxx	xxxx	xxxxx
LOS by Move:	A	*	*	A	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Movement:	LT - LTR - RT	LT - LTR - RT			LT - LTR - RT			LT - LTR - RT			LT - LTR - RT	
Shared Cap.:	xxxx	xxxx	xxxxx	xxxx	xxxx	xxxxx	xxxx	xxxx	845	xxxx	809	xxxxx
SharedQueue:	xxxxx	xxxx	xxxxx	xxxxx	xxxx	xxxxx	xxxxx	xxxx	0.0	xxxxx	0.9	xxxxx
Shrd StpDel:	xxxxx	xxxx	xxxxx	xxxxx	xxxx	xxxxx	xxxxx	xxxx	9.3	xxxxx	10.8	xxxxx
Shared LOS:	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	A	*	B	*
ApproachDel:	xxxxxx	xxxxxx			9.3			10.8				
ApproachLOS:	*	*			A			B				

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Level Of Service Computation Report
2000 HCM Unsignalized Method (Base Volume Alternative)

Intersection #2041 Mission/14th-River

Average Delay (sec/veh): 4.9 Worst Case Level Of Service: B[12.0]

Approach:	North Bound			South Bound			East Bound			West Bound		
Movement:	L	T	R	L	T	R	L	T	R	L	T	R
Control:	Uncontrolled			Uncontrolled			Stop Sign			Stop Sign		
Rights:	Include			Include			Include			Include		
Lanes:	0	0	1! 0 0	0	0	1! 0 0	0	0	0 1 0	0	0	1! 0 0

Volume Module: >> Count Date:	9 May 2005 << 4:30 - 5:30 PM											
Base Vol:	6	54	146	27	33	1	0	1	9	101	10	34
Growth Adj:	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
Initial Bse:	6	54	146	27	33	1	0	1	9	101	10	34
User Adj:	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
PHF Adj:	0.83	0.83	0.83	0.83	0.83	0.83	0.83	0.83	0.83	0.83	0.83	0.83
PHF Volume:	7	65	176	33	40	1	0	1	11	122	12	41
Reduct Vol:	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Final Vol.:	7	65	176	33	40	1	0	1	11	122	12	41

Critical Gap Module:

Critical Gp:	4.1	XXXX	XXXXX	4.1	XXXX	XXXXX	XXXXX	6.5	6.2	7.1	6.5	6.2
FollowUpTim:	2.2	XXXX	XXXXX	2.2	XXXX	XXXXX	XXXXX	4.0	3.3	3.5	4.0	3.3

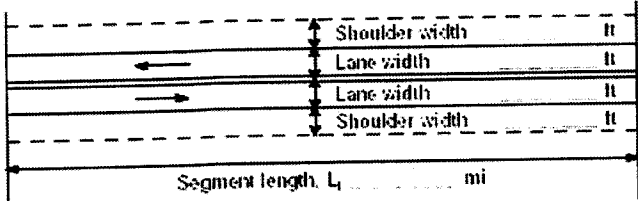
Capacity Module:

Cnflct Vol:	41	XXXX	XXXXX	241	XXXX	XXXXX	XXXX	361	40	279	273	153
Potent Cap.:	1568	XXXX	XXXXX	1326	XXXX	XXXXX	XXXX	566	1031	673	634	893
Move Cap.:	1568	XXXX	XXXXX	1326	XXXX	XXXXX	XXXX	550	1031	650	615	893
Volume/Cap:	0.00	XXXX	XXXX	0.02	XXXX	XXXX	XXXX	0.00	0.01	0.19	0.02	0.05

Level Of Service Module:

Queue:	0.0	XXXX	XXXXX	0.1	XXXX	XXXXX	XXXXX	XXXX	XXXXX	XXXXX	XXXX	XXXXX
Stopped Del:	7.3	XXXX	XXXXX	7.8	XXXX	XXXXX	XXXXX	XXXX	XXXXX	XXXXX	XXXX	XXXXX
LOS by Move:	A	*	*	A	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Movement:	LT - LTR - RT			LT - LTR - RT			LT - LTR - RT			LT - LTR - RT		
Shared Cap.:	XXXX	XXXX	XXXXX	XXXX	XXXX	XXXXX	XXXX	XXXX	948	XXXX	692	XXXXX
SharedQueue:	XXXXX	XXXX	XXXXX	XXXXX	XXXX	XXXXX	XXXXX	XXXX	0.0	XXXXX	1.0	XXXXX
Shrd StpDel:	XXXXX	XXXX	XXXXX	XXXXX	XXXX	XXXXX	XXXXX	XXXX	8.8	XXXXX	12.0	XXXXX
Shared LOS:	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	A	*	B	*
ApproachDel:	XXXXXX			XXXXXX				8.8			12.0	
ApproachLOS:	*			*				A			B	

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TWO-WAY TWO-LANE HIGHWAY SEGMENT WORKSHEET			
General Information		Site Information	
Analyst	CL	Highway	River Road
Agency or Company	Higgins Associates	From/To	E. Cross Canyon/N. Martinez
Date Performed	3/16/2006	Jurisdiction	
Analysis Time Period	PM Peak Hour	Analysis Year	Existing
Project Description: 5-195 San Miguel Traffic Circulation Study			
Input Data			
		<input type="checkbox"/> Class I highway <input type="checkbox"/> Class II highway Terrain <input type="checkbox"/> Level <input type="checkbox"/> Rolling Two-way hourly volume 155 veh/h Directional split 60 / 40 Peak-hour factor, PHF 1.00 No-passing zone 100 % Trucks and Buses, P_T 2 % % Recreational vehicles, P_R 1 % Access points/ mi 4	
Average Travel Speed			
Grade adjustment factor, f_G (Exhibit 20-7)		0.71	
Passenger-car equivalents for trucks, E_T (Exhibit 20-9)		2.5	
Passenger-car equivalents for RVs, E_R (Exhibit 20-9)		1.1	
Heavy-vehicle adjustment factor, f_{HV} $f_{HV} = 1 / (1 + P_T(E_T - 1) + P_R(E_R - 1))$		0.970	
Two-way flow rate ¹ , v_p (pc/h) $v_p = V / (PHF * f_G * f_{HV})$		225	
v_p * highest directional split proportion ² (pc/h)		135	
Free-Flow Speed from Field Measurement		Estimated Free-Flow Speed	
Field Measured speed, S_{FM} mi/h		Base free-flow speed, $BFFS_{FM}$	45.0 mi/h
Observed volume, V_f veh/h		Adj. for lane width and shoulder width ³ , f_{LS} (Exhibit 20-5)	5.3 mi/h
Free-flow speed, FFS $FFS = S_{FM} + 0.00776(V_f / f_{HV})$ mi/h		Adj. for access points, f_A (Exhibit 20-6)	1.0 mi/h
		Free-flow speed, FFS ($FSS = BFFS * f_{LS} * f_A$)	38.7 mi/h
Adj. for no-passing zones, f_{np} (mi/h) (Exhibit 20-11)		3.6	
Average travel speed, ATS (mi/h) $ATS = FFS - 0.00776 v_p * f_{np}$		33.3	
Percent Time-Spent-Following			
Grade Adjustment factor, f_G (Exhibit 20-8)		0.77	
Passenger-car equivalents for trucks, E_T (Exhibit 20-10)		1.8	
Passenger-car equivalents for RVs, E_R (Exhibit 20-10)		1.0	
Heavy-vehicle adjustment factor, f_{HV} $f_{HV} = 1 / (1 + P_T(E_T - 1) + P_R(E_R - 1))$		0.984	
Two-way flow rate ¹ , v_p (pc/h) $v_p = V / (PHF * f_G * f_{HV})$		205	
v_p * highest directional split proportion ² (pc/h)		123	
Base percent time-spent-following, $BPTSF$ (%) $BPTSF = 100(1 - e^{-0.000879 v_p})$		16.5	
Adj. for directional distribution and no-passing zone, f_{dnp} (%) (Exh. 20-12)		23.7	
Percent time-spent-following, $PTSF$ (%) $PTSF = BPTSF * f_{dnp}$		40.2	
Level of Service and Other Performance Measures			
Level of service, LOS (Exhibit 20-3 for Class I or 20-4 for Class II)		B	
Volume to capacity ratio v/c $v/c = V_p / 3,200$		0.07	
Peak 15-min veh-miles of travel, VMT_{15} (veh-mi) $VMT_{15} = 0.25 L_T (V / PHF)$		43	

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Peak-hour vehicle-miles of travel, VMT_{60} (veh-mi) $VMT_{60} = V \cdot L_t$	171
Peak 15-min total travel time, TT_{15} (veh-h) $TT_{15} = VMT_{15}/ATS$	1.3
Notes	
1. If $V_p \geq 3,200$ pc/h, terminate analysis-the LOS is F.	
2. If highest directional split $V_p \geq 1,700$ pc/h, terminated anlysis-the LOS is F.	

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APPENDIX D

SAN MIGUEL BUILDOUT PLAN

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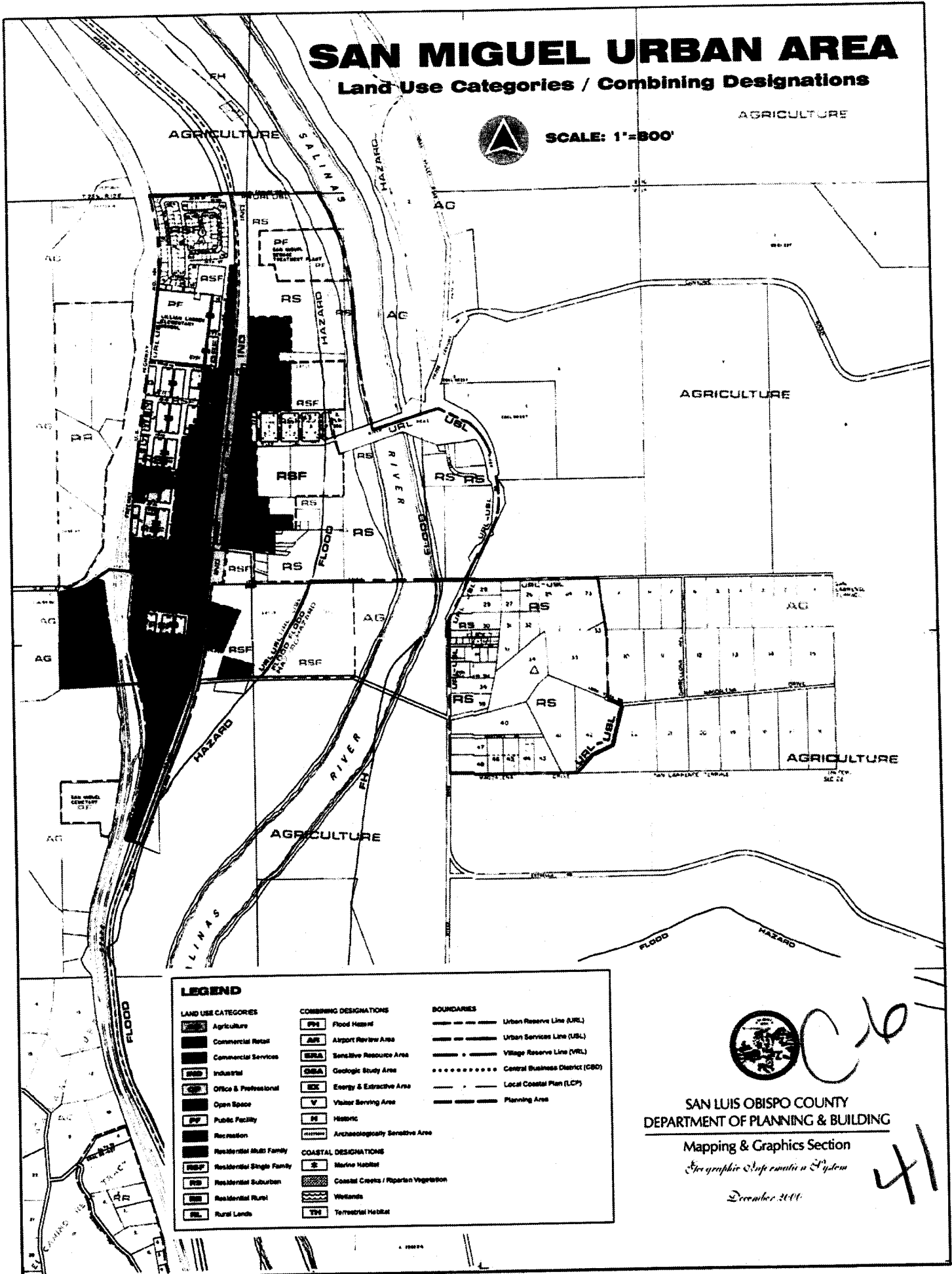
SAN MIGUEL URBAN AREA

Land Use Categories / Combining Designations



SCALE: 1"=300'

AGRICULTURE



LEGEND

LAND USE CATEGORIES

- Agriculture
- Commercial Retail
- Commercial Services
- Industrial
- Office & Professional
- Open Space
- Public Facility
- Recreation
- Residential Multi-Family
- Residential Single-Family
- Residential Suburban
- Residential Rural
- Rural Lands

COMBINING DESIGNATIONS

- Flood Hazard
- Airport Review Area
- Sensitive Resource Area
- Geologic Study Area
- Energy & Extractive Area
- Visitor Serving Area
- Historic
- Archaeologically Sensitive Area

COASTAL DESIGNATIONS

- Marine Habitat
- Coastal Creeks / Riparian Vegetation
- Wetlands
- Terrestrial Habitat

BOUNDARIES

- Urban Reserve Line (URL)
- Urban Services Line (USL)
- Village Reserve Line (VRL)
- Central Business District (CBD)
- Local Coastal Plan (LCP)
- Planning Area



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APPENDIX E

**CUMULATIVE CONDITIONS INTERSECTION
AND SEGMENT
LEVEL OF SERVICE CALCULATIONS
TRAFFIX ANALYSIS WORKSHEETS**

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Level Of Service Computation Report

2000 HCM Unsignalized Method (Future Volume Alternative)

Intersection #2041 Mission/14th-River*****
Average Delay (sec/veh): 9.7 Worst Case Level Of Service: C [17.4]

Approach:	North Bound			South Bound			East Bound			West Bound		
Movement:	L	T	R	L	T	R	L	T	R	L	T	R
Control:	Uncontrolled			Uncontrolled			Stop Sign			Stop Sign		
Rights:	Include			Include			Include			Include		
Lanes:	0	0	1! 0 0	0	0	1! 0 0	0	0	1! 0 0	0	0	1! 0 0

Volume Module: >> Count Date:	9 May 2005 << 7:00 - 8:00 AM											
Base Vol:	3	54	49	10	60	1	0	2	3	129	4	40
Growth Adj:	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
Initial Bse:	3	54	49	10	60	1	0	2	3	129	4	40
Added Vol:	2	11	50	44	12	1	2	25	6	95	6	29
PasserByVol:	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Initial Fut:	5	65	99	54	72	2	2	27	9	224	10	69
User Adj:	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
PHF Adj:	0.93	0.93	0.93	0.93	0.93	0.93	0.93	0.93	0.93	0.93	0.93	0.93
PHF Volume:	5	70	106	58	77	2	2	29	10	241	11	74
Reduct Vol:	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Final Vol.:	5	70	106	58	77	2	2	29	10	241	11	74
Critical Gap Module:												
Critical Gp:	4.1	xxxx	xxxxx	4.1	xxxx	xxxxx	7.1	6.5	6.2	7.1	6.5	6.2
FollowUpTim:	2.2	xxxx	xxxxx	2.2	xxxx	xxxxx	3.5	4.0	3.3	3.5	4.0	3.3

Capacity Module:												
Cnflct Vol:	80	xxxx	xxxxx	176	xxxx	xxxxx	371	382	78	348	330	123
Potent Cap.:	1518	xxxx	xxxxx	1400	xxxx	xxxxx	586	551	982	607	590	928
Move Cap.:	1518	xxxx	xxxxx	1400	xxxx	xxxxx	512	526	982	555	562	928
Volume/Cap:	0.00	xxxx	xxxx	0.04	xxxx	xxxx	0.00	0.06	0.01	0.43	0.02	0.08

Level Of Service Module:												
Queue:	0.0	xxxx	xxxxx	0.1	xxxx	xxxxx	xxxxx	xxxx	xxxxx	xxxxx	xxxx	xxxxx
Stopped Del:	7.4	xxxx	xxxxx	7.7	xxxx	xxxxx	xxxxx	xxxx	xxxxx	xxxxx	xxxx	xxxxx
LOS by Move:	A	*	*	A	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Movement:	LT - LTR - RT	LT - LTR - RT			LT - LTR - RT			LT - LTR - RT			LT - LTR - RT	
Shared Cap.:	xxxx	xxxx	xxxxx	xxxx	xxxx	xxxxx	xxxx	590	xxxxx	xxxx	611	xxxxx
SharedQueue:	xxxxx	xxxx	xxxxx	xxxxx	xxxx	xxxxx	xxxxx	0.2	xxxxx	xxxxx	3.1	xxxxx
Shrd StpDel:	xxxxx	xxxx	xxxxx	xxxxx	xxxx	xxxxx	xxxxx	11.6	xxxxx	xxxxx	17.4	xxxxx
Shared LOS:	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	B	*	*	C	*
ApproachDel:	xxxxxx	xxxxxx			11.6			17.4			C	
ApproachLOS:	*	*			B			C				

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Level Of Service Computation Report
2000 HCM Unsignalized Method (Future Volume Alternative)

Intersection #2041 Mission/14th-River

Average Delay (sec/veh): 12.3 Worst Case Level Of Service: D[29.6]

Approach:	North Bound			South Bound			East Bound			West Bound		
Movement:	L	T	R	L	T	R	L	T	R	L	T	R
Control:	Uncontrolled			Uncontrolled			Stop Sign			Stop Sign		
Rights:	Include			Include			Include			Include		
Lanes:	0	0	1! 0 0	0	0	1! 0 0	0	0	1! 0 0	0	0	1! 0 0

Volume Module: >> Count Date: 9 May 2005 << 4:30 - 5:30 PM

Base Vol:	6	54	146	27	33	1	0	1	9	101	10	34
Growth Adj:	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
Initial Bse:	6	54	146	27	33	1	0	1	9	101	10	34
Added Vol:	6	22	121	35	18	2	2	8	4	82	24	48
PasserByVol:	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Initial Fut:	12	76	267	62	51	3	2	9	13	183	34	82
User Adj:	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
PHF Adj:	0.83	0.83	0.83	0.83	0.83	0.83	0.83	0.83	0.83	0.83	0.83	0.83
PHF Volume:	14	92	322	75	61	4	2	11	16	220	41	99
Reduct Vol:	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Final Vol.:	14	92	322	75	61	4	2	11	16	220	41	99

Critical Gap Module:

Critical Gp:	4.1	xxxx	xxxxx	4.1	xxxx	xxxxx	7.1	6.5	6.2	7.1	6.5	6.2
FollowUpTim:	2.2	xxxx	xxxxx	2.2	xxxx	xxxxx	3.5	4.0	3.3	3.5	4.0	3.3

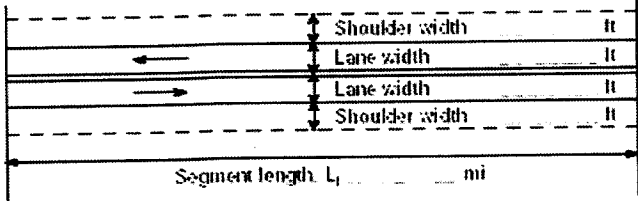
Capacity Module:

Cnflct Vol:	65	xxxx	xxxxx	413	xxxx	xxxxx	564	655	63	507	496	252
Potent Cap.:	1537	xxxx	xxxxx	1146	xxxx	xxxxx	436	386	1001	476	475	786
Move Cap.:	1537	xxxx	xxxxx	1146	xxxx	xxxxx	334	356	1001	431	439	786
Volume/Cap:	0.01	xxxx	xxxx	0.07	xxxx	xxxx	0.01	0.03	0.02	0.51	0.09	0.13

Level Of Service Module:

Queue:	0.0	xxxx	xxxxx	0.2	xxxx	xxxxx	xxxxx	xxxx	xxxxx	xxxxx	xxxx	xxxxx
Stopped Del:	7.4	xxxx	xxxxx	8.4	xxxx	xxxxx	xxxxx	xxxx	xxxxx	xxxxx	xxxx	xxxxx
LOS by Move:	A	*	*	A	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Movement:	LT - LTR - RT	LT - LTR - RT	LT - LTR - RT	LT - LTR - RT	LT - LTR - RT	LT - LTR - RT	LT - LTR - RT	LT - LTR - RT	LT - LTR - RT	LT - LTR - RT	LT - LTR - RT	LT - LTR - RT
Shared Cap.:	xxxx	xxxx	xxxxx	xxxx	xxxx	xxxxx	xxxx	542	xxxxx	xxxx	493	xxxxx
SharedQueue:	xxxxx	xxxx	xxxxx	xxxxx	xxxx	xxxxx	xxxxx	0.2	xxxxx	xxxxx	6.0	xxxxx
Shrd StpDel:	xxxxx	xxxx	xxxxx	xxxxx	xxxx	xxxxx	xxxxx	12.0	xxxxx	xxxxx	29.6	xxxxx
Shared LOS:	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	B	*	*	D	*
ApproachDel:	xxxxxx			xxxxxx			12.0			29.6		
ApproachLOS:	*			*			B			D		

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TWO-WAY TWO-LANE HIGHWAY SEGMENT WORKSHEET			
General Information		Site Information	
Analyst	CL	Highway	River Road
Agency or Company	Higgins Associates	From/To	E. Cross Canyon/N. Martinez
Date Performed	3/16/2006	Jurisdiction	
Analysis Time Period	PM Peak Hour	Analysis Year	Cumulative
Project Description: 5-195 San Miguel Traffic Circulation Study			
Input Data			
		<input type="checkbox"/> Class I highway <input type="checkbox"/> Class II highway Terrain <input type="checkbox"/> Level <input type="checkbox"/> Rolling Two-way hourly volume 225 veh/h Directional split 60 / 40 Peak-hour factor, PHF 1.00 No-passing zone 100 % Trucks and Buses, P_T 2 % % Recreational vehicles, P_R 1% Access points/ mi 4	
Average Travel Speed			
Grade adjustment factor, f_G (Exhibit 20-7)		0.71	
Passenger-car equivalents for trucks, E_T (Exhibit 20-9)		2.5	
Passenger-car equivalents for RVs, E_R (Exhibit 20-9)		1.1	
Heavy-vehicle adjustment factor, f_{HV} $f_{HV} = 1 / (1 + P_T(E_T - 1) + P_R(E_R - 1))$		0.970	
Two-way flow rate ¹ , v_p (pc/h) $v_p = V / (PHF * f_G * f_{HV})$		327	
v_p * highest directional split proportion ² (pc/h)		196	
Free-Flow Speed from Field Measurement		Estimated Free-Flow Speed	
Field Measured speed, S_{FM} mi/h		Base free-flow speed, $BFFS_{FM}$	45.0 mi/h
Observed volume, V_f veh/h		Adj. for lane width and shoulder width ³ , f_{LS} (Exhibit 20-5)	5.3 mi/h
Free-flow speed, FFS $FFS = S_{FM} + 0.00776(V_f / f_{HV})$ mi/h		Adj. for access points, f_A (Exhibit 20-6)	1.0 mi/h
		Free-flow speed, FFS ($FSS = BFFS * f_{LS} * f_A$)	38.7 mi/h
Adj. for no-passing zones, f_{np} (mi/h) (Exhibit 20-11)		4.1	
Average travel speed, ATS (mi/h) $ATS = FFS - 0.00776 v_p f_{np}$		32.0	
Percent Time-Spent-Following			
Grade Adjustment factor, f_G (Exhibit 20-8)		0.77	
Passenger-car equivalents for trucks, E_T (Exhibit 20-10)		1.8	
Passenger-car equivalents for RVs, E_R (Exhibit 20-10)		1.0	
Heavy-vehicle adjustment factor, f_{HV} $f_{HV} = 1 / (1 + P_T(E_T - 1) + P_R(E_R - 1))$		0.984	
Two-way flow rate ¹ , v_p (pc/h) $v_p = V / (PHF * f_G * f_{HV})$		297	
v_p * highest directional split proportion ² (pc/h)		178	
Base percent time-spent-following, $BPTSF$ (%) $BPTSF = 100(1 - e^{-0.000879 v_p})$		23.0	
Adj. for directional distribution and no-passing zone, f_{dnp} (%) (Exh. 20-12)		23.0	
Percent time-spent-following, $PTSF$ (%) $PTSF = BPTSF + f_{dnp}$		45.9	
Level of Service and Other Performance Measures			
Level of service, LOS (Exhibit 20-3 for Class I or 20-4 for Class II)		B	
Volume to capacity ratio v/c $v/c = V_p / 3,200$		0.10	
Peak 15-min veh-miles of travel, VMT_{15} (veh-mi) $VMT_{15} = 0.25 L_p (V / PHF)$		62	

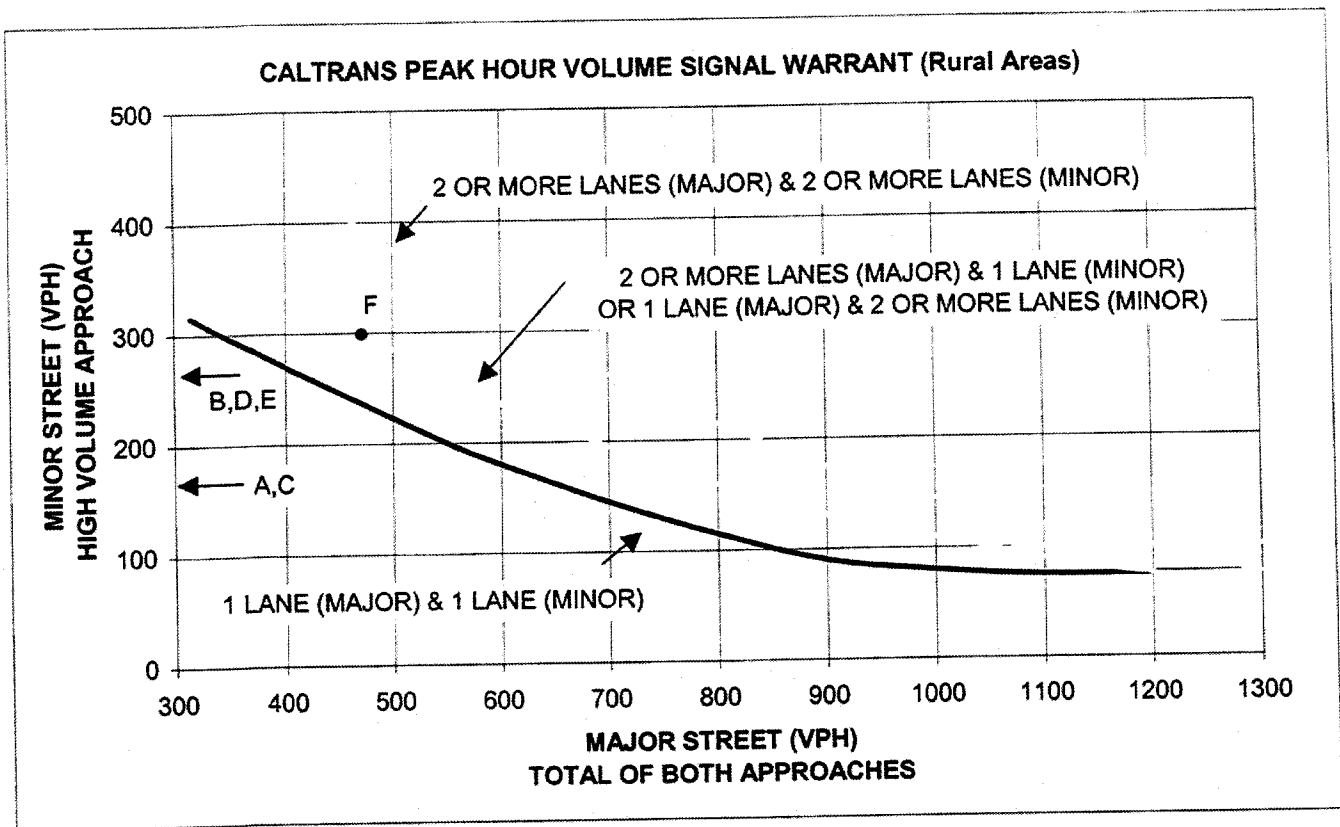
Peak-hour vehicle-miles of travel, VM_{60} (veh-mi) $VM_{60} = V \cdot L_t$	248
Peak 15-min total travel time, TT_{15} (veh-h) $TT_{15} = VM_{15} / ATS$	1.9
Notes	
1. If $V_p \geq 3,200$ pc/h, terminate analysis-the LOS is F.	
2. If highest directional split $V_p \geq 1,700$ pc/h, terminated anlysis-the LOS is F.	

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APPENDIX F
WARRANTS ANALYSES WORKSHEETS

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Intersection of Mission Street & 14th Street-River Road



Scenario	Major Street	Minor Street	Warranted?
	North/South	East/West	
A. Existing AM	177	173	No
B. Existing PM	267	145	No
C. Exist+Proj AM	183	191	No
D. Exist+Proj PM	287	156	No
E. Cumulative AM	297	303	No
F. Cumulative PM	471	299	Yes

Notes:

- 100 VPH applies as the lower threshold volume for a minor street approach with two or more lanes and 75 VPH applies as the lower threshold volume for a minor street approaching with one lane.
- Bold line applies to intersection geometry.

Source: Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices, 2003 Edition.

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Mission Street & 14th Street-River Road
Multiway Stop Sign Warrant
Analysis Worksheet

	Minimum Requirements (Rural)	Existing		Existing+Project		Cumulative	
		AM	PM	AM	PM	AM	PM
		Peak Hour Volume					
All Approaches (# of vehicles)	420	355	422	379	454	638	794
Both Approaches Minor Street (# of vehicles & pedestrians)	170	178	155	196	167	341	323
Warrant Satisfied? (with RT)		No	No	No	No	Yes	Yes

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APPENDIX G
SIGNAL AND PREEMPTION
COST ESTIMATES

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**Mission Street/14th Street- River Road Intersection and RailRoad Pre-emption
2006**

PROJECT DESCRIPTION/NOTES:
ENTER NOTES SPECIFIC TO THIS PROJECT

ITEM	UNIT	UNIT COST \$	DIMENSIONS			QUANTITY	COST \$
			LENGTH ft	WIDTH ft	DEPTH ft		
MATERIALS							
1a Surfacing: base	SF					0 SF	0
1b Surfacing: pavement	SF					0 SF	0
1c Sidewalk: new	SF					0 SF	0
1d Sidewalk: replace	SF					0 SF	0
1e Curb and Gutter: new	LF					0 LF	0
1f Curb and Gutter: replace	LF					0 LF	0
1g Curb Ramps	EA					0 EA	0
1h Resurfacing	SF					0 SF	0
1i Landscaped Median	SF					0 SF	0
1j Hardscaped Median	SF					0 SF	0
1k Guard Rail	LF					0 LF	0
1l Bike Path: base	SF					0 SF	0
1m Bike Path: pavement	SF					0 SF	0
1n Striping & Pavement Markers	LF					0 LF	0
1o Electroliers	EA					0 EA	0
1p Traffic Signal (base price): 3 legs/6 movements	EA	225,000.00				1 EA	225,000
Additional cost per leg/movement	EA					0 EA	0
1q Traffic Signal (base price): 4 legs/8 movements	EA					0 EA	0
Additional cost per leg/movement	EA					0 EA	0
1 Subtotal							\$ 225,000
2 Earthwork	CF					0 CF	0
3 Signing (3% Item 1)	LS						0
4 Utilities (10% Item 1)	LS						0
5 Drainage (12% Items 1 - 2)	LS						0
6a Bridge: new	SF					0 SF	0
6b Bridge: widen	SF					0 SF	0
7a Retaining Wall: <= 4 feet	SF					0 SF	0
7b Retaining Wall: > 4 feet	SF					0 SF	0
8 Removal of Existing Pavement	SF					0 SF	0
9 Removal of Existing Bridges	SF					0 SF	0
10a Preemption	LS	25,000.00				1 LS	25,000
10b Rail Road Signal Control Construction (estimate)	LS	200,000.00				1 LS	200,000
1 - 10 Subtotal							\$ 450,000
CONTINGENCIES							
11 Construction Contingencies (20%)	LS						90,000
12 PE, PM, Environmental, Design, ROW, CA (55%)	LS						297,000
17 SUBTOTAL							\$ 837,000
1 - 17 PROJECT TOTAL							\$ 837,000
OUTSIDE FUNDING							0
TOTAL COST							\$ 837,000

NOTES:

- * Enter items specific to this project
- ** Project Administration contingency includes environmental clearance, outside agency overview, permitting, right-of-way agent, and unforeseen conditions. cost TBD/updated

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APPENDIX H

**RIVER ROAD
COST ESTIMATES**

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McCarthy Engineering - Preliminary Construction Cost Estimate

River Road Widening - San Miguel Area

Tract 2467 to Magdalena St.

Summary				
Item	QTY	Unit	Unit Cost	Item Cost
Construction Signs	LS	LS	\$2,000.00	\$2,000
Traffic Control	LS	LS	\$4,000.00	\$4,000
Clearing and Grubbing	LS	LS	\$5,000.00	\$5,000
Earthwork	8,076	CY	\$25.00	\$201,900
Class II AB	850	CY	\$50.00	\$42,500
AC	240	Ton	\$75.00	\$18,000
Culvert Extension	100	LF	\$500.00	\$50,000
Metal Beam Guardrail	3000	LF	\$25.00	\$75,000
Striping	4550	LF	\$1.00	\$4,550
Signs	8	EA	\$150.00	\$1,200
			Subtotal	\$404,150
			+20% Conting	\$80,830
			Construction	\$484,980
			Other contingencies (55%)	\$266,739
			TOTAL:	\$751,719

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Subsection Breakdowns**Magdalena St. to Martinez St.**

<u>Item</u>	<u>QTY</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Cost</u>	<u>Cost</u>
Earthwork	116 CY		\$25.00	\$2,900
Class II AB	120 CY		\$50.00	\$6,000
AC	26 Ton		\$75.00	\$1,950
Culvert Extension	0 LF		\$500.00	\$0
Metal Beam Guardrail	0 LF		\$25.00	\$0
Striping	530 LF		\$1.00	\$530
Signs	0 EA		\$150.00	\$0
Subtotal				\$11,380

Martinez St. to Oak St.

<u>Item</u>	<u>QTY</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Cost</u>	<u>Cost</u>
Earthwork	2200 CY		\$25.00	\$55,000
Class II AB	240 CY		\$50.00	\$12,000
AC	60 Ton		\$75.00	\$4,500
Culvert Extension	40 LF		\$500.00	\$20,000
Metal Beam Guardrail	300 LF		\$25.00	\$7,500
Striping	1060 LF		\$1.00	\$1,060
Signs	2 EA		\$150.00	\$300
Subtotal				\$100,360

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Oak St. to Mission Ln.					
<u>Item</u>	<u>QTY</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Cost</u>	<u>Cost</u>	
Earthwork	260	CY	\$25.00	\$6,500	
Class II AB	240	CY	\$50.00	\$12,000	
AC	60	Ton	\$75.00	\$4,500	
Culvert Extension	0	LF	\$500.00	\$0	
Metal Beam Guardrail	800	LF	\$25.00	\$20,000	
Striping	1060	LF	\$1.00	\$1,060	
Signs	2	EA	\$150.00	\$300	
			Subtotal	\$44,360	
Mission Ln to TR 2647					
<u>Item</u>	<u>QTY</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Cost</u>	<u>Cost</u>	
Earthwork	5500	CY	\$25.00	\$137,500	
Class II AB	250	CY	\$50.00	\$12,500	
AC	94	Ton	\$75.00	\$7,050	
Culvert Extension	60	LF	\$500.00	\$30,000	
Metal Beam Guardrail	1900	LF	\$25.00	\$47,500	
Striping	1900	LF	\$1.00	\$1,900	
Signs	4	EA	\$150.00	\$600	
			Subtotal	\$237,050	

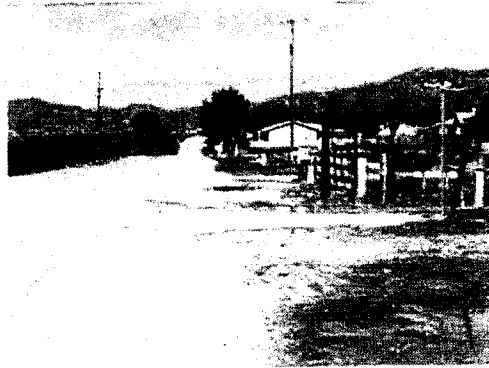
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APPENDIX I
RIVER ROAD PHOTOS

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RIVER ROAD PHOTOS- EXISTING CONDITION – SAN MIGUEL AREA
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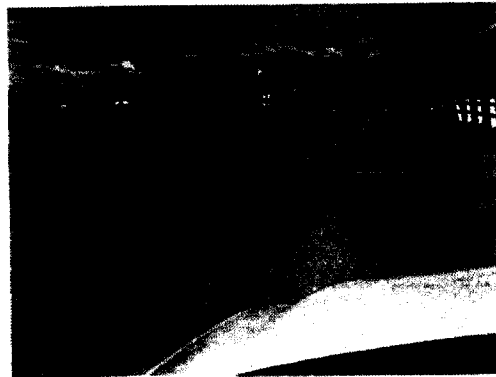
*River Rd at Magdalena St. looking North.
The existing paving is 20-22 feet wide for
most of River Road through the project
area. This section is fairly flat and would
not require significant grading.*



*River Rd looking North from Martinez St.
There is a culvert in the low point that
would require extension and some fill.
Some minor cuts at the edges would be
needed along this section.*



*River Rd near Mission St. looking north.
The Salinas River on the left creates a large
downslope. All widening would need to be
to the east on this section. However the
area is relatively flat for most of the road
section.*

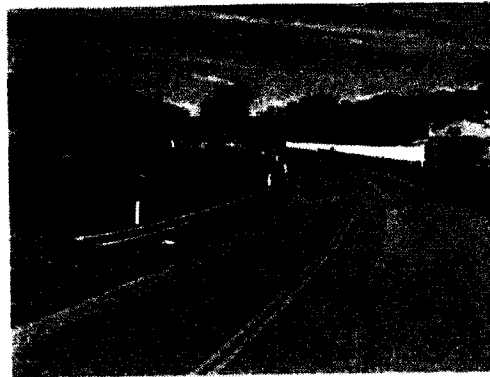


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River Rd. looking north from Mission St. The pavement is 20-21 feet wide. The west side of the roadway falls off steeply. All widening needs to occur on the east side. The large fill area with an existing culvert can be seen in the distance past the caution sign.



River Rd. showing a closer detail of the large culvert fill area just south of proposed Tract 2467. Picture is looking north. Fill and culvert extensions are required, along with new guardrail.



Widened section of River Road adjacent to TR 2467 and just before the intersection with Cross Canyon Rd. Picture is looking north.



Widened street section on River Rd, done as part of the San Miguel Bridge project. Cross Canyon Dr. is just ahead on the right. Picture is looking north-west.

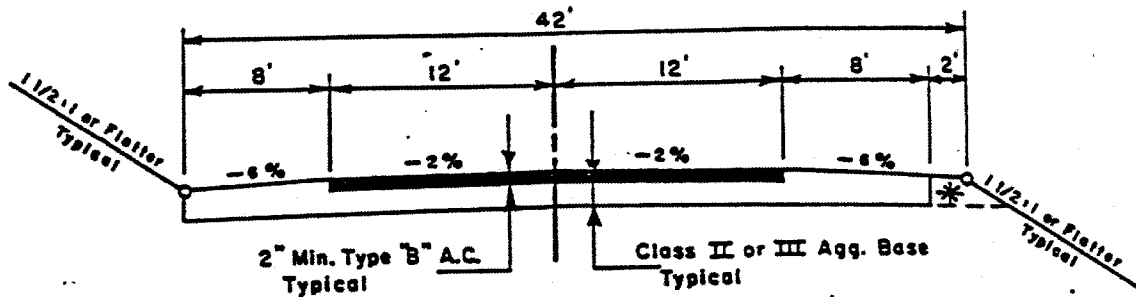
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APPENDIX J

TYPICAL SECTIONS - RURAL

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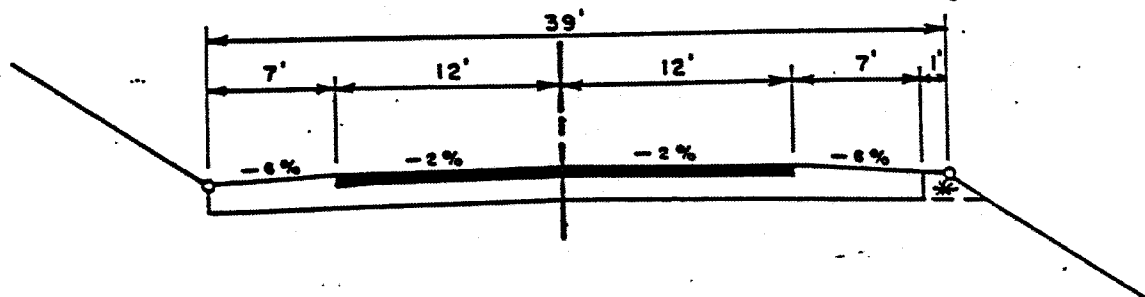
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				Recommended by Deputy Co. Eng.	6-8-84



Asphalt dike and paved shoulders to be installed where needed to control drainage or erosion

1000-3000 FUTURE A.D.T. FLAT & ROLLING

* NOTE: As an alternate the choker can be eliminated and the agg. base carried to the hinge point



1000-3000 FUTURE A.D.T. MOUNTAINOUS

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Specification Ref.	COUNTY OF SAN LUIS OBISPO ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT		Scale
			NO SCALE
	TYPICAL SECTIONS RURAL		Drawing No
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Exhibit "B"
**POLICY OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS FOR
DETERMINATION OF THE NUMBER OF PEAK HOUR TRIPS**

SECTION ONE: PURPOSE

1.01. This Policy is intended to be used in implementing the Resolution of the Board of Supervisors of the County of San Luis Obispo Imposing a Road Improvement Fee etc., (hereinafter referred to as Resolution) to which this Policy is attached as an exhibit, which Resolution is adopted under the authority of San Luis Obispo County Ordinance No. 2379.

SECTION TWO: DEFINITIONS

2.01. "Accident History." A summary of the amount and type of reported vehicle collisions occurring during the preceding five years within the area of study.

2.02. "Fee Area." The particular area(s) set forth in Exhibit "A" to this Resolution wherein the new development lies.

2.03. "Existing Trips." Trips generated by a current or previous use of the property which use is being replaced by new development. In order to receive credit under Section 3.01(b) of this Policy, said current or previous use must have been in existence at the time the most recent Circulation Study, or Exhibit "A" to this Resolution, was adopted.

2.04 The "floor area" of a building shall have the same meaning as the section entitled "Gross Area" as set forth in Chapter 1 of the Institute of Transportation Engineers' Trip Generation Manual, which book is more completely described in Section 3.01(a) of this Policy.

2.05. To "generate additional traffic" shall mean both the production and the attraction of vehicular trips.

2.06. "Level of Service." A qualitative measure describing operational conditions within a traffic system, and their perception by motorists, as defined in the most recent edition of the Highway Capacity Manual Transportation Research Board, Washington, DC (Highway Capacity Manual).

2.07. "Level of Service C" shall have the meaning as set forth in the Highway Capacity Manual:

Level of Service C is in the range of stable flow, but marks the beginning of the range of flow in which the operation of individual users becomes significantly affected by interactions with others in the traffic stream. The selection of speed is now

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affected by the presence of others, and maneuvering within the traffic stream requires substantial vigilance on the part of the user. The general level of comfort and convenience declines noticeably at this level.

2.08. A "pass-by trip" is an existing trip that is diverted to a new development from an adjacent street and is not a new trip that is assigned to the adjacent streets due to the new development. Pass-by trips are excluded in calculating new trips to be generated by a new development.

2.09. "Peak Hour Trip" shall mean a single or one-directional vehicle movement which either enters or exists the site of a new development during the hour of the day in which the highest hourly traffic volume is measured on the road(s) adjacent to the new development.

2.10. "Prevailing Speed." The speed, at or below which eighty-five percent of vehicles are traveling on a roadway.

2.11. A "Road Impact Fee Study" or "RIFS" is a written study that evaluates and comments on all of the following:

- A. Evaluate existing conditions on roads which will be affected by the proposed new development. These roads may be within the Fee Area and within any adjacent areas as required by the Director of Public Works. This evaluation of existing conditions on said roads shall include: (1) levels of service, (2) prevailing speeds, (3) stopping sight distance, and (4) accident history, and such other relevant and necessary items as are required by the Director of Public Works.
- B. Estimate future conditions on roads which are likely to be affected by the proposed new development. These roads may be within the Fee Area and within any adjacent areas as required by the Director of Public Works. The study shall include an estimate of trip generation, if any, for each unit of the proposed new development project. The trip generation estimate may be adjusted to reflect pass-by trips and may be used for computing the fees required by Chapter 13.01 of the San Luis Obispo County Ordinance Code.

The said forecast of future conditions shall be compared with the Circulation Study, Exhibit "A" to this resolution, to determine if the recommendations in the Circulation Study are adequate to maintain a Level of Service C, or better, for the affected roads after completion of the proposed new development project.

- C. Include such additional inquiries, evaluations and comments as the Director of Public Works determines are relevant and reasonably necessary for a comprehensive evaluation of the impacts of the proposed new development project on the said roads.

The RIFS shall be prepared by a qualified engineer licensed as a civil or traffic engineer by the State of California.

The RIFS shall be subject to the review and approval of method and accuracy by the Director of Public Works.

2.12. "Road." A way or place of whatever nature, publicly maintained and open to the use of the public for purposes of vehicular travel. "Road" includes "street" and "highway" and "bridge."

2.13. "Stopping Sight Distance." The length of roadway ahead that is visible to the driver. The minimum sight distance available on a roadway should be sufficient to enable a vehicle traveling at or near the design speed to stop before reaching a stationary object in its path.

2.14. "Trip Generation." The total number of vehicle trips which will enter or exit a given development project. Trip generation includes trips per weekday, trips per hour for the peak hour, and other cases as determined necessary by the Director of Public Works.

2.15. "Trip." A single or one-direction vehicle movement which either enters or exits the site of a development project.

SECTION THREE: DETERMINATION OF PEAK HOUR TRIPS.

3.01. The number of peak hour trips generated by new development shall be computed using the following formula:

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} \text{Number of} & & & & \text{Number of} \\ \text{Units in the} & \text{X} & \text{Trip Generation} & = & \text{New Peak Hour} \\ \text{New Development} & & \text{per New Unit} & & \text{Trips} \end{array}$$

A "unit" is a physical, measurable or predictable variable which quantifies the particular new development (e.g., floor area, employees, acres, dwelling units, etc.). The peak hour trip generation rate shall be based upon the highest trip generation rate possible for the proposed new development. Eligible existing trips shall be deducted from the number of peak hour trips generated by the new development.

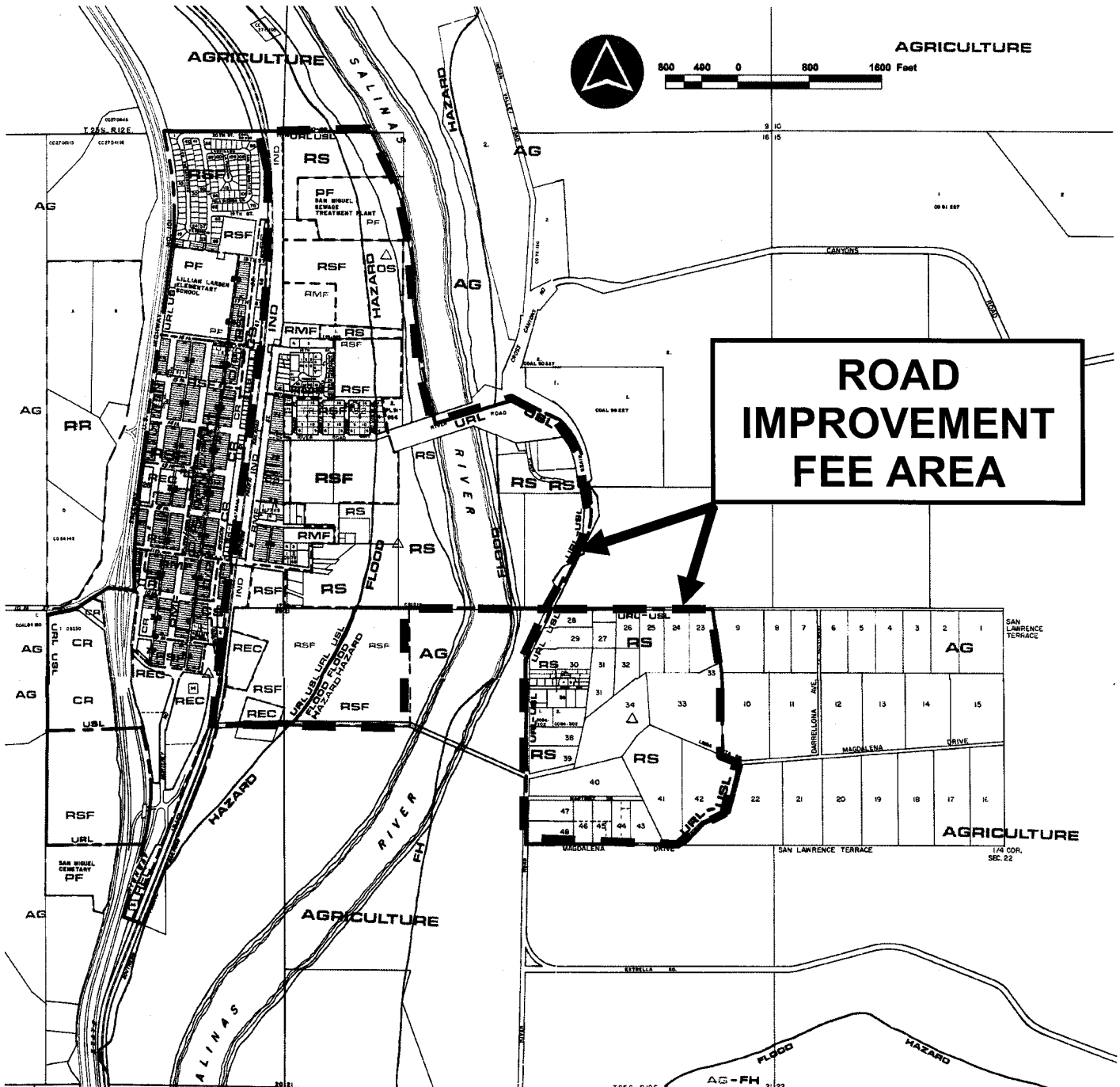
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3.02. "Trip Generation per New Unit" shall be determined as follows:

- A. The trip generation rates, for the peak hour of adjacent streets, shall be based on the most recent edition of the Trip Generation Manual, Institute of Transportation Engineers, 525 School St., SW, Suite 140, Washington, DC 20024-2729.
- B. If no published rates are available from this source, trip generation rates will be determined by the Director of Public Works.
- C. If the Director of Public Works requires it or if the applicant for the new development so elects, the Trip Generation per New Unit which will be caused or generated by the proposed new development may be determined by the Director of Public Works through the use of a Road Impact Fee Study rather than by the method set forth in Section 3.02(A) or 3.02(B) hereof. If a Road Impact Fee Study is to be used, the Director of Public Works shall request proposals for this work from engineers licensed as civil or traffic engineers by the State of California, and shall award a contract for the production of the RIFS with all costs to be borne by the applicant for the new development.

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San Miguel Traffic Circulation Study

Prepared by San Luis Obispo County Public Works - April 6, 2006

Exhibit C

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